WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is abnormally low over this Province, and showers have been general eastward to Kootenay. Sharp frosts have occurred on the Prairies.

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PROVINCE WILL PROBE COMBINE

Investigation of Alleged Fruit Marketing Combination Is Placed in Hands of Law Department Officers

GROWERS REQUEST GOVERNMENT TO ACT

Letters From Producers Applaud Duncan Report and Ask for Immediate Action of Officials

OTTAWA, April 15.—Correspondence with Provincial Governments, growers' associations and private growers was tabled in the House of Commons today in connection with the Duncan investigation into an alleged fruit marketing combine in Canada. The correspondence comprises all the documents which the Department of Labor feels justified in revealing at this time, Hon. James Murdock explained.

The file shows that a special memorandum prepared by the registrar of the Combines Investigation Acts has been sent to all the Western Provincial Governments for their guidance as to the extent to which they may proceed against members of the alleged combine.

Only formal acknowledgments have been received so far from the provinces except that British Columbia, through Hon. A. M. Manson, indicates that he has placed the matter for investigation in the hands of officers of his department.

There are a number of letters from growers applauding the Duncan report and asking for proceedings against the Nash Mutual interests. Private growers in Bismarck, N.D.; Hemingford, Neb.; Wyndel, B.C., Victoria, Vancouver and Vernon, and the Berry Growers' Co-operative Union of British Columbia, and the Chilliwack Board of Trade, are included in these.

REFUSAL WOULD INJURE CREDIT

REEVE SEES LEGAL BATTLE IF BY-LAW TURNED DOWN

Public Meeting Asks Oak Bay Council to Secure Further Legal Opinion on Uplands Roads

"We have in the bank the sum of $10,000, a cheque from the Uplands, Limited, which is to be applied on this year's taxes of that company. If you ratify the by-law it will remain there, but if you defeat it it must be returned to the company. And if the by-law does not pass you can rest assured that you will have a legal battle on your hands that may lead to an arbitration, at great cost, and whether you win or lose, it will be a bad thing for our credit," Reeve Herbert Anscomb told Oak Bay ratepayers at a public meeting held last night in the Municipal Hall, in urging them to give their support to the by-law which will shortly be submitted to the people in the district in connection with an agreement between the Uplands, Limited, and the corporation of Oak Bay.

The meeting on the motion of Mr. R. Ross Sutherland, asked the Oak Bay Council, before submitting the by-law to the ratepayers, to secure further legal advice regarding the status of lot X, which was contained in the agreements between Oak Bay and Uplands, Limited, of 1910 and 1919, respectively, and which includes all the streets, boulevards, parks, water mains, fire and street hydrants and sprinkling connections, together with a complete sewerage system and drainage system.

Division of Opinion

Opinion of those present was divided as to whether or not Lot X, the improvements that were put into the Uplands district by Uplands, Limited, at a cost of over $500,000, were private or belonged to the corporation, and the Council will ascertain from additional legal sources as to

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from the Colonist Tower.

Thursday, April 16

106th Day, 1925

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh east and south winds, mostly cloudy and mild, with showers.

Sun Rises: 5:20 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 7:05 o'clock.

High Tide: 5:44 a.m., 8.0 feet.
Low Tide: 3:40 p.m., 2.1 feet.

Deep Sea Shipping

Arrivals—
SS. Emma Alexander, from California, 10 p.m.

Departures—
SS. Dorothy Alexander, for California, 11 p.m.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Bishop Knight, warden of St. Augustine's, due here next Monday.
City's fire bell for fifty years goes to Curtis Point camp.
Reeve Anscomb of Oak Bay urges ratepayers to support by-law on Uplands agreement.

Dominion—
Member of House of Commons tells of optimism of British Columbia.

Imperial and Foreign—
M. Painleve appointed French Premier.
Italian troops invading Egyptian cities.

Banker Coming Here

SIR JOHN AIRD

Information has been received in the city that Sir John Aird, president and general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, acompanied by Mr. C. W. Rowley, assistant general manager of the bank, will reach here about April 26, and spend a day in Victoria en route to Vancouver. The president and Mr. Rowley have left Los Angeles, and will visit San Francisco while on their way here. It is five years since the president visited Victoria. He has long been an active figure in banking circles.

NEW OPTIMISM FOR PROVINCE

Member of House of Commons Tells of Prevailing Feeling of Confidence for Future of British Columbia

OTTAWA, April 15.—With a long list of speakers still to come, the House today continued the long drawn out debate on the budget. L. W. Humphrey, an Independent from British Columbia, indicated his intention to vote with the Government on the budget. He thought transportation and national expenditures of more importance as issues than the tariff.

Tell Public Truth

J. G. Harris, Conservative, East York, thought that a budget "cluttered up with obscurities" did more to shatter confidence than to tell the public the truth. Mr. Harris strongly objected to the export tax on electrical power. In his opinion the tax would have to be paid largely by Ontario consumers of hydro power, and "would knock their enthusiasm for public ownership."

L. W. Humphrey, Independent, Kootenay West, in resuming the debate this afternoon, spoke of the prevailing pessimism which had been reflected in the majority of the speeches on the budget debate. There was no such pessimism in his province or his constituency. He could not agree with W. R. McQuarrie, who in his speech Tuesday had given the impression that conditions were not good in British Columbia.

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MAY PROSECUTE NAMED JOBBERS

FEDERAL ACTION ANTICIPATED BY ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Awaits Notice From Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, That Prosecution Has Started

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Prosecution of the fruit jobbers and commission houses named in the Duncan report will be undertaken in the near future by the Dominion Government, is the belief of Attorney-General A. M. Manson, who paid a visit to Vancouver tonight.

"Hon. James Murdock has intimated that if the provinces did not take action within the time limit set by the Act, his department would get busy. We have waited our time limit, believing that the Dominion authorities having undertaken the investigation and having all the details and the men available, who acted in the investigation, are in the best position to carry on the prosecutions," Mr. Manson said.

For that reason, he explained, the Dominion authorities need not await expiry of the time limit, and he is awaiting definite reply from Hon. Mr. Murdock that he is going ahead.

"If Ottawa by any chance decides not to go ahead at once, then I will take the matter under advisement for immediate action," Mr. Manson said.

UNIVERSITY SHOULD DEVELOP TEACHERS

Dean Coleman Addresses Convention of Teachers' Federation on Purpose of Higher Institutions

PENTICTON, April 15.—At the convention of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation here today, on "The University and the Teaching Profession," Dean H. T. Coleman, of the University of British Columbia, contended that it should be the purpose of the university to train and develop teachers and leaders. The treasury of education should not be kept closely guarded, but should be attended and made available to everyone, he said.

OTTAWA, April 15.—Canadian National Railway radio stations up to December 31, 1924, had cost to establish $51,621, and their operation and upkeep to that date cost $129,670, it was stated in the House today, in answer to a question.

CHINESE TELLS WHAT HE HEARD

Witness in David Lew Slaying Case Relates Conversation With Accused in Oakalla Prison Cell

DISCUSS TONG FIGHT IN VANCOUVER CHINATOWN

Victoria Counsel Fights Hard Battle to Have Evidence Admitted in the Assize Court Trial

VANCOUVER, April 15.—The case for the crown against Chapg Sing, charged with the murder of David Lew, prominent Chinese businessman, reached its peak late this afternoon in the Assize Court when Mr. Archie M. Johnson, K.C., special prosecutor, after a hard fought argument on admissability, put before the jury statements alleged to have been made by the accused to a fellow prisoner at Oakalla, while awaiting trial.

This statement, which was quoted by Jo Sang, awaiting trial at Oakalla on a drug-selling charge, came piecemeal and consisted of extracts from a series of conversations between Jo Sang and Chow Sing between November 15 and January 17.

The Culmination

The culminating detail of the conversations occurred on January 17, two days after Chong Sam Bo had been hanged at Oakalla.

Chang Sing had referred to receiving cigars from his lawyer and Jo Sang had told him to smoke as much as he could "for he would soon be like Chong Sam Bo," the witness declared.

In answer to this, Jo Sang stated, Chang Sing made the following statement:

"How could I be like Chong Sam Bo when they have that kind of witnesses? Really nobody saw me. After the shooting I went back to bed and no one knew about it. If anybody had seen me I would have been arrested when I went over to Nanaimo the next morning."

At various conversations preceding this Jo Sang said Chang Sing and he had discussed tong war conditions in Chinatown.

ACTION OF KING SAVES HIS LIFE

Bulgarian Sovereign Grasps Wheel and Turns Car Aside as Assassins Fire—Flee on Foot

SOFIA, April 15.—King Boris of Bulgaria probably owes his life to the fact that he is an expert automobile driver. Yesterday, when his car was attacked from ambush by a band of alleged Communists and the chauffeur wounded, the King seized the wheel and attempted to steer the machine out of the danger zone. The steering gear was damaged, however, and in a moment the car hit a telegraph post. Meanwhile the King's six assailants continued to fire on the occupants of the automobile, and they, in turn, retaliated with revolvers, but their shots apparently were without effect. Realizing the only chance of escape lay in flight, the King and three of his attendants ran to cover in a little copse a few yards down the road which leads from Orchanie to Sofia.

M. Itchoff, director of the Sofia Museum, already was bleeding profusely from a body wound, but he continued to defend the King. Almost immediately a servant was shot through the heart and Itchoff became unconscious. The chauffeur was some distance from the King and others, so Captain Stanatoff, aide de camp, urged Boris to make a bid for safety and run towards an automobile bus carrying mails, which the royal car had passed a few minutes before reaching the ambuscade. Stanatoff covered the King's retreat, although Boris wished to attempt to carry off Itchoff's body with him.

The King and his aide ran towards the autobus, the driver of which was endeavoring to turn back but was hampered by the narrow road. The King took the chauffeur's place, turned the bus and speeded off down hill, pursued by the bandits, who fired and hit the bus, but without serious damage.

Arriving at Orchanie the King hastily mobilized a platoon of troops and, remaining at the wheel of the bus, hurried back with an officer and twenty-eight soldiers to the place of the ambuscade. The bandits were robbing the bodies of Itchoff and the servant. They were surprised and one was wounded. The others fled and, aided by small wiry horses, escaped.

Memoirs Tell Why Britain Joined Allies

VISCOUNT GREY OF FALLODON

The Daily Colonist has secured exclusively the memoirs of Lord Grey, who as British Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, held a premier position in the decision to enter the World War. The first article appears in today's paper.

Joseph Caillaux' Return Excites French Politics

All Other Developments Overshadowed in Paris Yesterday by Sensational Comeback to Political Life of Famous Frenchman—Becomes Minister of Finance in New Administration—No Other Cabinet Posts Yet Announced

PARIS, April 15.—M. Joseph Caillaux' acceptance of the post of Minister of Finance in the Cabinet now being formed by M. Paul Painleve, overshadowed all other developments in France's political crisis today.

The return to power at the head of one of the most important ministries of the man who five years ago was regarded as politically dead for all time, has caused varied, but strong emotions in the French political world, accustomed as it is to spectacular coups and dramatic ups and downs of its statesmen.

Calls on President

M. Painleve, on whom devolves the task of Premiership, from which Edouard Herriot was deposed, called on President Doumergue at eleven o'clock tonight and informed him that negotiations for the constitution of a Cabinet were progressing as normally as could be expected and that he would be in a position to present his ministry to the President late tomorrow afternoon.

The ministerial declaration will be read in the Chamber of Deputies on Friday and a vote of confidence demanded.

Will Be Foreign Secretary

M. Painleve will himself take the Office of Foreign Affairs, but beyond the appointment of M. Caillaux, the other Cabinet posts have not yet been announced.

Throughout the day the coming of Caillaux had thrown all other Cabinet talk into the background.

There was far more discussion as to whether he had been or was going to be asked to take the Ministry of Finance, than whether M. Briand would take the Foreign Office. When M. Painleve telephoned him at Mamers this morning, M. Caillaux said he would be glad to come but his automobile was out of order, whereupon M. Painleve sent one of the automobiles attached to the Presidancy of the Chamber to fetch him.

Paul Boncour and Alexandre Varenne were receiving congratulations from friends on their elevation to Cabinet posts, when the news that the Council had ruled against participation was received in the Chamber. What reception awaits him in the Senate, among the members of which are more than 150 men who sat in judgment on his case five years ago, is looked forward to with much interest.

Caillaux has gone on record as being opposed to the principle of a capital levy. He has a personal plan for the restoration of French finance, the details of which have not yet been published. The fundamental basis of his plan, is known to lower taxes and sterner collection of existing taxes.

Half Million Dollars Damage in Church Fire

NEW YORK, April 15.—Holy Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church at Lennox Avenue and 122nd Street was destroyed by fire today at an estimated damage of half a million dollars.

The heat of the flames was so intense that clothing of persons a hundred feet distant was scorched.

Blake Wilson Recovers

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Blake Wilson, prominent Vancouver businessman, who became ill with pneumonia in December and who was moved to the General Hospital two months ago, has so far recovered that he will return home on Saturday.

Spanish Agreement

OTTAWA, April 15.—Exports of Canadian wheat and agricultural implements to Spain will benefit under the new trade agreement between the Canadian and Spanish Governments, signed at Madrid a few days ago.

Judgment Gives $35,000 To Victoria Engineer

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Mr. Justice Morrison, in a judgment handed down this afternoon, awarded $35,000 to Mr. F. N. Sinclair, formerly of Victoria, civil engineer, as remuneration for his plans which were used in the Sumas reclamation project. His Lordship, in finding for the plaintiff in the action, intimated that it had been proved to his satisfaction that the plans followed by the Land Settlement Board were those prepared by Mr. Sinclair.

Commenting upon the action of a great department of the Government permitting a dispute over an engineer's account to be brought before the courts, Mr. Justice Morrison declared that it was their duty so to do, especially in view of the fact that a substantial sum of money was involved.

The decision reviews the history of the negotiations between Mr. Sinclair and the Sumas dyking commissioners, and later the Land Settlement Board.

His Lordship allowed Mr. Sinclair the costs of the action.

PRINCE OF WALES GREETED AT LAGOS

BRAVES TROPICAL SUN TO ACKNOWLEDGE WELCOME

Craft of Every Description Collect in Harbor—Gay Scene Presented by Be-Flagged Vessels

LAGOS, Nigeria, April 15.—Defying the tropical sun, the Prince of Wales and his staff, in full British naval uniform, stood on the deck of a launch today and received another ovation from a part of the population of another African colony gathered in thousands along the quays and the Lagos Harbor. Beflagged and decorated craft of every description came out to welcome the British heir on his extended tour, which will take him through Africa and South America.

Landing near the railway station, after formal introductions to local officials, the Prince immediately boarded a special train for Kano, 600 miles inland. The trip will take 44 hours, and during every moment intense tropical heat will be experienced, but the Prince looks the picture of health, and those of his party say he will have no difficulty in standing up under the blistering sunshine and sweltering nights.

While waiting to board the launch for Lagos today, the Prince was greatly interested in the antics of two sharks which had been attracted by bait held out by sailors on board the battle cruiser.

Habeas Corpus Proceedings

LOS ANGELES, April 15.—Attorneys for Andrew Peppall, held here for removal to Toronto on charges of embezzling Provincial Government funds, today applied for a writ of habeas corpus for their client. Judge James announced that he would give his decision tomorrow.

Viscount Grey Asserts Gladstone Greatest Man Encountered in Career

But Young Parliamentarian Found It Difficult to Understand Elder Statesman's Sudden Change of Policy on Home Rule Until Won Over by Logic of John Morley

TELLS OF FAVORING GERMANY DURING FRANCO-PRUSSIAN WAR

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This intimate record from the diary of the man who for many years dominated British politics, takes the reader behind the scenes in events that made world history. The immediate causes of the World War, as well as those reaching back several decades, are revealed by the man who shaped the foreign policies of the British Empire when it entered the war, and during the preceding decade.

By VISCOUNT GREY

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It has therefore seemed a duty for one who had been long and intimately concerned in pre-war diplomacy to give his narrative of events, his interpretation of them, and the impression produced by them on his own mind. I have therefore had no doubt that this book ought to be written, and that decision to write it needs no excuse or apology.

Whether it should be published now or reserved for a later time is open to question.

War has stirred passion, enlisted sympathies, and aroused hatred; many of the war generation have formed opinions that nothing will modify and are dominated by predilections or prejudices that have become an inseparable part of their

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X-Ray Photo Sent By Telephone Wire

NEW YORK, April 15.—An X-ray photograph of a human hand was transmitted by telephone wire from New York to Chicago in seven minutes today, and arrived back here tonight by air mail, nine hours and seven minutes after it was received in Chicago.

ULSTER HOUSE OPENS SESSION

Duke of Abercorn, Governor-General, Delivers Speech From Throne Outlining Legislative Programme

MAJORITY OF LOYALISTS HAS GROWN STEADILY

BELFAST, April 15.—The Ulster Parliament was opened today by the Governor-General, the Duke of Abercorn, who delivered the royal speech outlining the legislative programme for the session.

In the course of the debate on the address, Sir James Craig, the Premier, justified the course he had followed in asking a new mandate from Ulster on the question of the boundary commission. He pointed out that in the elections of 1921 the Loyalist figures respecting the vote for Ulster to remain in North Ireland were 149,466.

Sir James added that in 1925 these figures were increased to 152,049. The Republican and Nationalist figures in 1921 were 113,344, and these were reduced in 1925 to 103,837.

The Premier held that the increase in the majority of 12,124 was conclusive evidence for the boundary commission that the northern counties did not desire to break from their allegiance to the Ulster Parliament.

ITALY AND EGYPT COMING TO BLOWS

CAIRO REPORTS BOUNDARY TROUBLE

Mussolini Troops Rumored to Have Commenced Operations—Britain May Be Involved

LONDON, April 15.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Cairo says a rumor that the Italians actually had occupied Jaragub, in Cirenaica, caused the council of ministers to be convoked tonight to consider the situation.

CAIRO, April 15.—What is declared by the Cairo press to be an acute situation between Egypt and Italy has arisen over the question of the boundary between Egypt and Tripoli, an alien possession. One paper expressed the opinion that the intervention of England will be necessary.

The situation arose, the newspaper states, through the presentation by the Italian Minister here of a verbal request for delimitation of the frontier along the lines of an agreement drawn up between Great Britain and Italy when Egypt was a British possession.

Visits Mansion House

LONDON, April 15.—Tom Mix, American actor, visited the Mansion House, official home of the Lord Mayor of London, today and presented that dignitary with a five-gallon sombrero, similar to the one recently given to Governor Smith of New York.

Fire Bell Goes To Motor Camp From City Hall

The famous bell in the southwest turret of the City Hall, which has done half a century's service for the city as fire bell and curfew alarm, is being lowered. The process will be a laborious one, to avoid an accident with its bulky weight, and will probably occupy two or three days in removing it to the new location at the automobile camp at Curtis Point.

The bell was formerly at the Tiger engine house on Johnson Street, and when that fire hall of the volunteer company was abandoned, and a hall established at Pandora Avenue, the bell was removed and used for its fire alarm purposes. After the latter hall was superceded by the present headquarters, Cormorant Street, the bell had a brief career as a curfew alarm. It dates from 1876.

NOTED PAINTER DIES SUDDENLY

FOUND DEAD IN BED IN EARLY MORNING HOURS

London Learns With Sorrow of Passing of "The Master" Whose Great Work Done in Metropolis

LONDON, April 15.—John Signor Sargent, noted paintad, and American by parentage, though born in Florence, Italy, died early today at his home in Chelsea, not far from London. He had retired apparently in good health. Death is believed to have come peacefully, possibly in sleep, and to have been due to an apoplectic seizure.

Last evening he had dined with his sister, Miss Emily Sargent, who was to accompany him on another voyage to the United States.

It was Sargent's custom to retire about midnight, and at 8 o'clock this morning his maid found him dead in bed.

London learned of the passing of "The Master" with sorrow. His great life work had been done here, and he was the only living artist who had the honor of having his pictures hanging in the National Gallery. Even yesterday he was at his easel completing one of the portraits, in the painting of which he had gained world-wide fame.

BISHOP KNIGHT IS EXPECTED ON MONDAY

Is Warden of St. Augustine's Missionary College, Canterbury—On Mission in Japan

A distinguished member of the Church of England, Bishop Knight, warden of St. Augustine's Missionary College, Canterbury, England, is due here on Monday. It is understood he is crossing the Pacific on the liner Empress of Russia.

He has just completed a mission in Japan for the Archbishop of Canterbury, and is now on his way home. He will be welcomed here by the Venerable Archdeacon Sweet, a former graduate of St. Augustine's College, Canterbury.

Bishop Knight, after holding a number of pastoral charges and collegiate appointments in England, went out to Burma in 1902 as Bishop of Rangoon, and stayed there for six years. On returning home he was shortly afterwards appointed warden of this celebrated college.

Government Considers Anti-Asiatic Statute

OTTAWA, April 15.—British Columbia's request for an anti-Asiatic immigration law in Canada is still under consideration in Ottawa. In answer to questions by Mr. W. G. McQuarrie, of New Westminster, it was stated today that the resolution passed by the British Columbia Legislature recommending the exclusion of Orientals had been received and acknowledged, and was still under consideration.

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MEXICAN KIDNAPPERS PROVE FAINT-HEARTED

Capture British and American Subjects, But Funk and Allow Prisoners to Return Home

MEXICO CITY, April 15.—Special dispatches from Chihuahua report that Mr. and Mrs. J. Reynolds, British subjects, and Mrs. and Mrs. W. J. Cooper, Americans, were kidnapped Saturday, while traveling by automobile from Lodo Quilla to San Francisco, Conchos, but that they had been released and are en route to Paso.

A bullet shattered the windshield of the auto when the party were accosted, and flying glass caused injuries to Mr. Reynolds's head and scratched Mrs. Cooper's face.

Sunday morning, when the chauffeur and Mr. Reynolds, who were sent to secure ransom money, failed to return, the kidnapping party, made up of three men with horses, became frightened and released Mrs. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper.

X-Ray of Human Hand Is Transmitted By Wire

NEW YORK, April 15.—X-ray photograph of a human hand was transmitted by telephone wire from New York to Chicago in seven minutes today, marking what is believed to be an experiment that will prove valuable in surgical work requiring prompt consultation of experts. The photograph was sent from here by the American Photo Supply Company, and was received in Chicago by the Victor X-Ray Corporation, a subsidiary of the General Electric Company.

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Fresh Beef Hearts, each 25¢
Sliced Liver, lb. 10¢

KING BORIS ESCAPES BY NARROW MARGIN

HIS MAJESTY OF BULGARIA SHOT AT BY BRIGANDS

Supposed Attempt at Robbing Passenger Coach Almost Proves Fatal to Ruler

SOFIA, April 15.—Considerable mystery surrounds the firing of bullets at the automobile of King Boris, as the monarch was proceeding in the direction of the capital from a provincial town yesterday.

The King had a narrow escape, one bullet grazing his moustache, carrying some of the hairs with it. M. Iltcheff, director of the Sofia Museum, a passenger in the royal car, was killed, as well as a servant, and the chauffeur was wounded.

In some quarters it is believed the assailants were not aware the King was in the car and that the attack probably was connected with an attempt by bandits to plunder an omnibus carrying passengers and mail, the King's car just happening to come by at the time.

When the chauffeur fell out of the car, the King took the wheel and tried to go on, but finding the motor would not start he jumped out and tried to return the fire of the attacking party, his attendants at his side.

The identity of the assailants is not known.

Virtually at the same time the shots were fired at the monarch, General Gheorghieff, one of the leaders of the movement which brought about the overthrow of the Stambouliisky government in 1923, was killed by assassins in a street of the capital.

CELEBRATE 110 YEARS OF PEACE

BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO, TO HOLD CEREMONY

City Will Take Steps During First Week in August to Remind World of Quiet Canadian Border

BELLEVILLE, Ont., April 15.—One hundred and ten years of peace. That seems a long time for the people of two nations, descended from warlike stocks, to live alongside of each other in peace and concord, with three thousand miles of border line undefended by a fort, gun or soldier, especially when it is recalled that people of the same flesh and blood in Europe have been fighting a considerable portion of that 110 years.

War started by the declaration of the United States against Great Britain, June 19, 1812, when Great Britain was fighting the mighty Napoleon, who was at the zenith of his power. The avowed object was the capture of Canada, so that Canada became the chief theatre of the conflict. Upper Canada had then a population of about 80,000, Lower Canada about 300,000. Upper Canada, with an exposed border line of 1,300 miles, bore the brunt of the war. The United States had a population then of 8,000,000. Congress ratified the Peace Treaty, February 18, 1815. There were a few battles after that date owing to slow methods of transmitting news then available. At the close of the war there was no Canadian territory in possession of the United States, and Canada handed over to the United States Fort Niagara on May 22, 1815, the only United States territory in possession of the Canadian forces.

The people in the historic city of Belleville, on the picturesque Bay of Quinte, have conceived the happy idea of celebrating the 110 years of peace between Canada and the United States. The 1st to the 5th of next August, inclusive, have been selected because the first week in August is holiday time, and Monday, August 3, is civic holiday practically all over the Province, which will enable people throughout Ontario, Old Upper Canada, to participate in the celebration. The great international yacht races, in which over fifty yachts from Buffalo, Rochester, Watertown, Oswego, Toronto, Hamilton and other ports will sail, will be held at Belleville the same week. The Governor of New York State, and Governors, Senators and other prominent persons from the neighboring republic, are expected to atend the celebration. The League of Nations might make use of this to inculcate a peace lesson among Europeans, and the citizens of Belleville are entitled to credit for focusing attention on this wonderful exhibition of good sense displayed by and good feeling existing among the people of these two countries.

Trade Unionist Cured of Unemployed Insurance

TORONTO, April 15.—James T. Gunn, well-known Toronto trade unionist, who has been studying industrial conditions in Great Britain, returned home a thorough opponent to unemployment insurance. "The majority of those receiving it in the British Isles do not want it," he said, "while a small part of those receiving assistance have twisted the regulations in such a way as to live without working. It is expensive to the nation, and leaders of the labor movement have expressed themselves as in favor of work rather than the dole."

Prince of Wales' Tour

LOURENZO MARQUES, Mosambique, Portuguese East Africa, April 15.—It is unlikely that the Prince of Wales will be able to visit Mosambique, it was stated today, although Portuguese officials still are continuing negotiations seeking his visit.

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Dr CHASE'S OINTMENT

More Bibles and Less Jazz Wanted in High And Collegiate Schools

TORONTO, April 15.—There should be less "jazz" and more Bible in the high schools and collegiates, declared Samuel Farmer, of Port Perry, Ont., president of the Urban Trustees Section of the Ontario Education Association, addressing the Ontario trustees here yesterday. Deploring the lack of religious training, Mr. Farmer recommended that the Bible should have a more prominent place in the schools to save the morals and health of the coming generation.

NOTED ARTIST DIES AT LONDON HOME

JOHN SARGENT SUCCUMBS SUDDENLY TO STROKE

One of the Best Known Portrait Painters Found Dead in His Bed

LONDON, April 15.—John Sargent, the noted artist, died suddenly at his home in Chelsea this morning. He suffered a stroke at 3 o'clock and died a few hours later.

John Singer Sargent, probably one of the best known portrait painters of recent times, was born in Florence, Italy, the son of Dr. Fitzwilliam Sargent, Boston physician and author.

With the exception of some half-dozen visits to the United States, the last of them in 1903, Sargent has made his home in the European capitals, and latterly, since 1884, has lived in London. Sargent studied painting at the Academy of Fine Arts, Florence, and in Paris under Carolus Duran.

A maid discovered Mr. Sargent dead in his bedroom when she brought up his breakfast this morning. Mr. Sargent had intended to exhibit at the Royal Academy Association opening early in May.

Sargent's last work upon which he had been laboring recently and which death leaves uncompleted, is a painting of Princess Mary and her husband, Viscount Lascelles. Only yesterday they sat two hours for him.

Unfinished Work

BOSTON, April 15.—The death in London today of John Singer Sargent leaves some of the work here of the great portrait and mural painter unfinished. On the last of the artist's periodical visits in 1923 he began a series of paintings in the rotunda of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, but returned to England, leaving completion of the work for another time.

Much of Sargent's fame in America rested on his mural decorations in public buildings of Boston, which was his home on many of his trips to the land of his ancestors.

AMERICA'S BATTLE FLEET PUTS TO SEA

MIMIC WARFARE DECLARED ON HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

Imposing Armada Sets Sail From Golden Gate on Mighty Deeds Intent

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—The grand fleet—mightiest concentration of seapower ever assembled under the flag of the United States—steamed out today to "war across the broad Pacific." Through the Golden Gate and into the ocean the fighting ships of the station moved evenly, as they would proceed if their mission of capturing the Island of Oahui, chief of the Hawaiian group, were real, instead of imaginary.

The departure of the assemblage—127 vessels of all classes—in a procession estimated to be 35 miles in length, was a spectacle as impressive and imposing as was the fleet's arrival on April 8. The hills that crown the bay were dotted with thousands of residents of the region who gathered to bid farewell to the guardians of the country's coasts.

A squadron of airplanes was sent outside the Golden Gate on "reconnaissance" to ascertain whether any "enemy" submarines were lying in ambush.

DEAN LAIRD WILL KEEP HIS PROMISE

Came to Spy Out Victoria With Teachers Last Year, Now to Bring Special Train

When the Canadian Teachers' Federation was in Victoria last August the most eloquent speaker on behalf of the visiting teachers at the dinner was Dean Laird, of Macdonald College, P.Q. Those who heard him eulogize this city will remember that he promised he would come back here as soon as possible and bring others with him.

It is now announced in Eastern newspapers that he is arranging a transcanada tour, primarily for teachers, but open to anyone who wishes to see the West.

The Dean has arranged for a special train of standard sleeping cars to leave Toronto on July 20, visiting Port Arthur, Fort William, Winnipeg, Regina, Moose Jaw, Calgary, Banff, Lake Louise, Vancouver, thence by steamer to Victoria.

Returning, the trip will be by way of the Okanagan Valley, Nelson, Kootenay Lakes, Windermere Bungalow Camp, from which place the party will be motored to Banff, 104 miles over the newly-completed Banff-Windermere Highway, perhaps the most charming and awe-inspiring trip it is possible to conceive, with stops at Radium Hot Springs, Vermillion River, and Storm Mountain Bungalow Camps—another day at Banff, then Edmonton, Saskatoon, Devil's Gap Bungalow Camp, near Kenora on the Lake of the Woods, steamer from Fort William to Port McNicoll, thence rail to Toronto, where the trip will terminate on August 10.

Bee Case Dismissed

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 15.—Judge Howay this morning handed down judgment, dismissing the action of Wilfred Smith against J. A. Finlay, a government apiary inspector, who in 1923 destroyed a number of Mr. Smith's hives on the ground that they were affected with foul brood. The plaintiff claimed that the inspector's action had been actuated by malice, but Judge Howay decided that there was no evidence to substantiate this.

B.C. TEACHERS IN ANNUAL PARLEY

THREE HUNDRED PEDAGOGUES ASSEMBLE AT PENTICTON

Opening Session on Tuesday Addressed by Prof. Allen Walker, of University of London

PENTICTON, B.C., April 15.—The first session of the sixth annual convention of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation opened here last night following the arrival approximately of three hundred delegates, two hundred of whom came down Okanagan Lake by boat from Vernon and were afforded a splendid opportunity to view the orchards of the valley which are just coming into bloom. Other delegates arrived today.

Directly on arrival the visitors were escorted to the Senator Shatford School, where the sessions are being held, and the inaugural meeting was opened by President E. S. Martin, of Fernie.

The principal speaker of the evening was Professor Allen Walker, of the University of London, England, who gave an historical lecture on "London, Past and Present," which was illustrated with a number of excellent lantern slides of points of interest and ancient drawings. The history conveyed one from the time of the mythical giants, Gog and Magog, 3,000 years ago, down through the various periods of British history to the present.

Before the conclusion of the meeting Secretary H. Charlesworth outlined briefly the proposed plan to hold sectional conventions throughout the Province next September to October to take up the different phases of teaching work.

Today's sessions will be taken up with addresses by Dr. H. T. J. Coleman, of the University of British Columbia, and Secretary Charlesworth. In the evening Professor Walker will give another lecture on "Literary England."

TO BAR POLITICS OF CLYDESIDE TYPE

RAMSAY MACDONALD TACITLY PREPARES PLAN

Caustic Speech at Labor Party's Convention Withers Extremists' Ideas of Future Action

LONDON, April 15.—Ramsay MacDonald's reply to his critics at the Independent Labor Party's convention at Gloucester Monday, when he defended the course of himself and his colleagues during the Labor Government's term of office, is regarded by critics who are by no means entirely friendly to the former Premier as still another sign that Mr. MacDonald is well-nigh resolved to rid himself at all costs of his nominal followers.

The Independent Labor Party never has represented the whole Labor movement, but to a large extent it comprises the driving force behind the Labor parliamentary representation.

Mr. MacDonald's caustic speech at the convention withering the ideas of the extremists of the delegation as to what the Labor Ministry should have done while in office, is regarded as proof that the former Premier has in mind a new alignment and the setting forth of a moderate policy in which he might reasonably hope to secure the co-operation of the radical element in the Liberal Party.

Such sprigs of aristocracy as Lords Thomson and Arnold, who held office under the Labor Ministry, it is believed, are prepared to assist Mr. MacDonald with a programme which would tacitly bar politics of the extreme Clydeside type.

EXTENDS TIME FOR APPEAL IN BOAK CASE

Supreme Court of Canada Will Allow Opportunity for Defence to Meet Issue

The appeal in the case of Rex vs. Boak, which has been taken to the Supreme Court of Canada, by the Crown will not be argued as early as was at first expected. Time has been allowed for the preparation of the case on behalf of the defendant.

The appeal of the Attorney-General of the Province, as was announced at the time it was launched, is from the decision of the Court of Appeal of the Province which allowed a new trial owing to the fact that one of the jurymen was defective as far as hearing was concerned.

The ground of appeal on behalf of the Crown is that this is not a point that can be entertained on appeal, but should only be considered at the time of the trial. The appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada is intended to settle this point. The decision of the appellate court of the Province was not unanimous, as Chief Justice Macdonald dissented.

The date for the hearing at Ottawa has not been finally fixed.

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CONSERVATIVE LEADER LEAVES FOR INTERIOR

Hon. William Sloan Departs at Same Time to Direct Government Campaign

Mr. R. H. Pooley, Conservative leader, and Hon. William Sloan, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Mines, left last night for Grand Forks, where, until the by-election on April 25, they will direct the respective campaigns of the Conservative and Government forces. Other members of the Cabinet will leave for Grand Forks at the end of the week, and it is expected that several of the Conservative members representing ridings of Vancouver Island, will also take part in the contest.

Premier Oliver, who was to have left yesterday for Ottawa, where he is to confer with the Dominion authorities respecting the Peace River district transportation problem, has delayed his departure until the end of the week. He will take no part in the Grand Forks by-election.

Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, also expects to leave at the end of the present week for Ottawa to discuss agricultural questions affecting British Columbia with the Dominion Government Ministers.

RECOMMENDS EFFORT TO ENSURE SAFETY

Coroner's Jury Find Death of Mr. John Donaldson Was Accidental —Advises Improved Equipment

The coroner's jury that investigated the circumstances surrounding the death of Mr. John Donaldson, at the Gorge log dumping ground, reached the conclusion that it was accidental, but added a rider to the verdict suggesting that an effort should be made to find some way of improving the equipment employed for the unloading of logs from the cars into the water, so that such an accident might be avoided. The inquest opened before the local coroner, Dr. E. C. Hart, at the B.C. Undertaking Parlors at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, but after hearing the evidence, and before bringing in a verdict, a wish was expressed to visit the scene, which was done.

The witnesses examined where Mr. J. Queale, who was working with the victim of the accident at the time the log rolled from its proper course and caused the death of Mr. Donaldson, Mr. Robert Winters, Canadian National Railways engineer, who was in charge of the engine, and Mr. W. J. Pierce, the brakeman, who was near.

Standard System

The evidence showed that the regular system of unloading was employed as approved by the Compensation Board. The train of cars was being moved very slowly into position, where each car in turn was tilted towards the split way and automatically unloaded into the water. Mr. Donaldson and Mr. Queale, as employees of the Channel Logging Company, were setting the logs loose by releasing the binding as they came into position.

In this particular case something went wrong, and the log rolled back the opposite way to which it should have. Mr. Queale jumped out of the way, but Mr. Donaldson was caught by the log, and killed.

The brakeman shouted when he saw what was happening and also signalled to stop the engine. This was acted upon, and the train came to a stop instantly.

Other Incidents

Mr. Queale said that he had seen somewhat similar conditions at the place, but that these occurred very infrequently. He could recall five times on which a log came off the wrong way within a year's time.

Mr. H. Lawson represented the C.N.R. Company.

VISCOUNT GREY ASSERTS GLADSTONE GREATEST MAN ENCOUNTERED

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lives. With such people mental digestion ceases to be able to assimilate anything except what nourishes convictions already formed; all else is rejected or resented; and new material or reflections about the war are searched, not for truth, but for fuel to feed the flame of preconceived opinion.

This is probably the case, particularly in the country into whose soul the iron of adversity and defeat has most deeply entered; and not till a new generation rules will books about the war be read, not to be refuted or acclaimed, but to be understood.

Offered to Truth-Seekers

There is also another consideration that makes against immediate publication. When a writer has taken a prominent part in controversial affairs, the reception of all that he says about the past is apt to be colored by the desire of readers to encourage or to depress the part that he may yet take in present or future controversies. A book of this character, therefore, falls less of its best effect if published after the life of the writer, when praise or censure can have no effect upon him.

On the other hand, there is a new generation now growing up whose opinions about the war are yet to be formed; and there are many even of the war generation who are dispassionately and increasingly anxious to discover truth. These ought to have the fullest material at their disposal now, and it is to them that this book is offered.

It was not, however, be suposed, because the writer was for so many years, and those the most critical, at the centre of affairs, that his account is necessarily authoritative and complete. It is precisely the man at the centre who is often unable to see the wood for the trees.

In addition to this, it must be remembered that the scope of each individual mind is fragmentary. Try as he may, each one of us can grasp but one aspect of the truth; and this is all that he can convey to others. Probably some historian of the future more remote than we are from the actual events, will reach an eminence of view about the war to which we cannot yet attain.

Hopes to Make War Hard

Two temptations that impair the value of this work inevitably beset public men who write memoirs.

One is a tendency to reconstruct the past to suit the present views and feelings of the writer; the other is a natural desire to set his own part in affairs in a pleasing light.

It is probably not given to any human being to be superior to these tendencies; even the effort to avoid them, on one side, many land him in error on another. Someone has said that there may be as much vanity in wearing fustian as in smart clothes of uniform, and the writer who determines not to vaunt his own part in affairs may easily fall into the vanity of self-depreciation.

I have, however, made a genuine and strenuous attempt to avoid these pitfalls, and to describe events as they actually happened, and my own part in them and my feelings about them as these actually were at the time.

This book naturally presents the British view, or at least that portion of it which was, and is, my own; but in it an endeavor has been made to envisage also the international aspect of the war.

Indeed the main purpose and desire has not been to made vindication or condemnation of any country the final word. That would be a barren and unprofitable end. The endeavor made has been to present the facts in such a way as to discover or help others to discover and draw conclusions that may avoid another war of the same scope and character.

My sight, which still enables me to write, is not equal to the sustained reading of long tracts of manuscript or even of print. Revision and the correction of proofs have therefore been left in the main to better eyes than mine.

Favored Germans in 1870

What political value the book has, it must be left to others to determine. It presents my own views, but its object is much more to stimulate thought than to press that these views should be accepted as conclusive.

This book is not a biography, and therefore no account will be given of boyhood, of school or college, or of marriage and home life, except in so far as they had influence upon public life or were affected by it.

In early years public affairs had no interest for me; my recollection of them is nost meagre and trivial.

I remember being asked by my father, at the outbreak of the Franco-Prussian War in 1870, on which side I was. My age was then about eight and a quarter years, and I had little feeling in the matter; but moved probably by what I had heard of Waterloo, and perhaps also by a liking for a game called "German" as distinct from ordinary dominoes, I replied that I was on the side of the Germans.

My father had been in the Rifle Brigade, and had fought in alliance with the French in the Crimea. My answer did not please him; he reproved me for my preference, and I relapsed into the indifference from which, but for his question, I should never have emerged.

Met Gladstone as Child

It must have been a few months later that I was called out on the balcony at Fallodon, my home in Northumberland, on a Winter evening to see a display of aurora borealis. A great part of the sky was not only irradiated with light, but suffused with pink. The recollection of the apparition has always been very positive and distinct to me; and I have never, in after years, seen any display of aurora-borealis that approached this one. It may be, therefore, that imagination has enhanced the glory and beauty of it, but it remains in memory as a wonderful vision.

I remember my grandfather saying, as we stood on the balcony, that if Paris had not been so distant we might have thought that the Prussians were burning it and that this was causing the illumination of the sky.

In the late Summer of 1873 I was taken on a visit to the Highlands. We were returning by train from Inverness. My grandfather and I were alone in the compartment.

At one of the stations where the train stopped (Kingussie, probably), my grandfather looked out of the window and I heard a greeting from someone on the platform. A gentleman, who was a stranger to me, was welcomed into the compartment, and thence to Perth an incessant and animated conversation went on, of which I understood nothing and took no heed.

At Perth the stranger parted from us, and when he had gone my grandfather told me it was Mr. Gladstone. The information meant nothing to at the time, but years afterwards my grandfather asked me if I remembered the occasion and told me what the subject of the talk had been. It was the technical but very embarrassing difficulty in which Mr. Gladstone, then Prime Minister, was placed by having taken a second office without vacating his seat and being re-elected.

Began to Read Widely

My grandfather, Sir George Grey, though no longer in office, had been a colleague of Gladstone in previous cabinets; he had had very great experience as Home Secretary, and had been forty years in the House of Commons, of which he was still a member. He was an authority on Parliamentary procedure, and no doubt Gladstone welcomed the opportunity of discussing the particular point with him.

In the end of 1874 my father died. After his marriage he had still continued to live at Fallodon with his parents, and he and my mother had kept house there when my grandparents were absent for the sessions of Parliament, and all of us remained at Fallodon, my grandfather now taking a father's place with his grandchildren.

I do not remember taking any interest in public events till the news of the murder of Lord Frederick Cavendish in Dublin in 1882. I was then an under-graduate at Balliol, and I joined in the clamor for martial law. This I repeated to my grandfather, who met it with the critical comment, "Martial law is the suspension of all law."

A few months later my grandfather died, and I inherited the house and property at Fallodon.

In 1884, after a long spell of what is generally called idleness, but which was in my case very active and strenuous pursuit of pleasure in the form of sport and games, interest in all manner of serious things came suddenly. I began to read good literature, poetry excited me to enthusiasm, and I read everything serious, however prolix, with interest. I remember being absorbed in the life of George Eliot when it appeared.

Had His Politics Decided

The same rush of interest applied itself to public affairs. I read political leading articles and magasines, but at the very outset of this awakening a thing happened, slight in itself, that decided the course of life for me.

In 1884 Gladstone's Government proposed an extension of the franchise to the counties on similar terms to those on which a Conservative Government had given it to the boroughs in 1867.

The House of Lords rejected the proposal; there was great indignation in the counties, and a franchise demonstration was arranged at Alnwick, the county town near Fallodon.

Nothing was known of my politics, but my family name was notably associated with the Reform Bill in 1832; my grandfather had sat from 1848 to 1852 for the district, and had, in fact, been the last Liberal representative for it. I was asked to take the chair at the demonstration at Alnwick.

It seemed to me very unfair that men in the counties generally, and in Northumberland especially, should not have the franchise that had been given to the boroughs so many years before. I was country-bred, and a sense of fair play and strong local feeling enlisted all my sympathies with the demonstration. The invitation was accepted without hesitation; my speech was short and commonplace enough; it was my first attempt at a public speech or at any speech on politics, but I got through it, after much previous anxiety, more easily than I expected.

The extension of the franchise was at this moment the dividing line between parties, and thus was decided the party to which I was to belong.

Ran Under Liberal Banner

I was chosen as Liberal candidate for the new constituency of the Berwick-on-Tweed division of Northumberland, which included Alnwick and all the neighborhood of my home. The new electors, who had long resented their exclusion from the franchise to which they were now admitted, went to the poll in large numbers for the party that had given them the vote, I was thus elected to Parliament in November, 1885.

Early in 1886 it was known that Gladstone would advocate Home Rule. The opinion that he was right in the conclusion that the old system of governing Ireland had broken down is now confirmed by after events. But the curve was a very sharp one and a very important section of Liberals, who had supported him in opposing Irish Home Rulers, could not adjust their course to it. There was a split in the party.

For me there was no curve, for I was new to public life and was only making a start. It was open to me, without inconsistency, to be either a Home Ruler or a Unionist.

I have no doubt, taking force of character and intellectual power combined, that Gladstone was the greatest man in whose presence I have ever been. I had not sufficient experience for this feeling to be as strong at entrance to public life as it became afterwards and remains now.

Great Men Not Consistent

There is, however, a difficulty that besets, and probably always has and will beset, men of independent mind in public life. It is that great men are difficult to follow consistently, while lesser men have not the capacity to lead.

Great minds do not travel for long on the average line of thought; the man of average mind, therefore, finds great men difficult to follow.

That a man of Mr. Gladstone's importance should advocate Home Rule was a fact so arresting as to make me feel the necessity for thought; the suddenness of the change puzzled me and made me doubt.

Then I came across the articles written by John Morley in The Pall Mall during the Irish coercion period of Gladstone's Government. When read in sequence they seemed irresistible in their argument that coercion was not, under modern conditions, possible as a permanent system of governing Ireland. The only alternative was Home Rule. I was intellectually convinced; Morley seemed to be clear and consistent in his thought about Ireland.

Morley was made Irish Secretary on taking office in Mr. Gladstone's cabinet he had to seek re-election in Newcastle-on-Tyne. There was a contest; as a member for a neighboring constituency I was asked to help in it, and did so whole-heartedly. Henceforward I was a Liberal Home Ruler.

Six Years as Apprentice

Lord Grey then briefly describes the first six years he spent in the House of Commons, his maiden speech on Home Rule, the little "cave" which he formed with his friend, Haldane, on Irish land purchase, his association with the Radical wing of the Liberal Party. He concludes:

"A sense of the unfairness and inequalities of life stirred me and led me to act with what was then the advanced section of the party, including those of whom John Morley spoke, in a cautionary speech, as young men who dreamt dreams. Thus six years passed during which interest was centred on the domestic side of politics.

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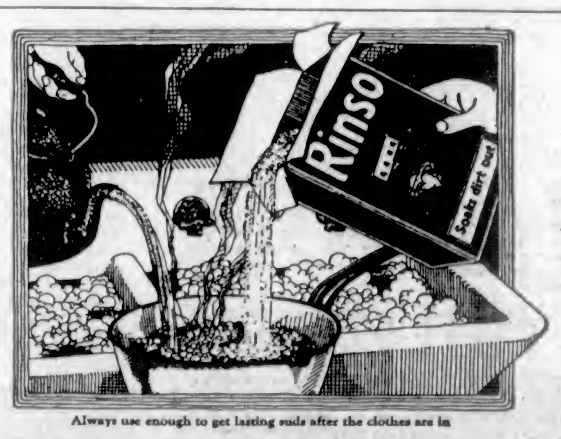

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STEAMSHIP RATES

It now appears that Mr. W. T. R. Preston, who has submitted a report to the Federal Government on ocean freight rates is to receive more remuneration for his work than was at first supposed. He has been paid $4,870.08 and further payments to the amount of $4,232.45 are due to him. He is still in the Government's service and presumably will be paid, and possibly at a high figure, while he is giving evidence before the parliamentary committee, which, on top of Mr. Preston's investigation, is to make another investigation into ocean freight rates. Mr. Preston is being paid for assembling together a mass of inaccuracies and now he has to attempt to make good his statements before a parliamentary investigation which will also, no doubt, cost the country something.

Mr. Preston, according to his report, went out of his way to make statements which he must have known were incapable of proof. For one thing he reported that the C. P. R. had purchased the Elder-Dempster Canadian Service, in order to put a stop to competition in immigration traffic. Those who are acquainted with the shipping trade are perfectly aware that this purchase was effected entirely with a view to freight possibilities. Of the fourteen vessels bought only three had any passenger accommodation and that was of very limited proportions. The purchase was made in 1903 and the C. P. R. did not join the North Atlantic Conference until 1909. Mr. Preston also avers that the entrance of the Allan Line into the French service was a move by the Conference to eliminate outside competition. The fact is that the contract was entered into at the desire of the Canadian Government with the object of assisting Canadian exporters to France in competition with United States shippers who had the benefit of direct services. The reply of the steamship lines to Mr. Preston, a reply that has never been refuted, was to the effect that this contract never had any bearing on the immigration situation and was never a source of profit to the contractors.

Mr. Preston will have a difficult time making good his assertions before any impartial tribunal. It is true that the parliamentary committee is composed chiefly of adherents of Mr. Mackenzie King and it will be prone to view the evidence from a partisan standpoint, but that evidence is of such a character that the people of Canada will be able to form their own judgment. They know already that the one thing carriers have to sell is transportation and that in selling it discrimination cannot be shown for that would amount to a great lack of business sense. The steamship companies point out that the total tonnage of steam and motor vessels afloat in 1923, as per Lloyd's Register, is over 61,000,000 tons, of which a large proportion is laid up for want of profitable employment. They ask, in the face of this, how it is possible for the regular liners to extract from shippers exorbitant rates. The fact, they say, is that the liners are carrying on under conditions which are unprofitable in order not to lose the connection which has been built up through the years. It is also shown that the reason tramps are not competing for the traffic is that they could not carry it at a profit, and not because all competition has been eliminated by the Conference methods, as Mr. Preston would have the public believe.

Mr. Preston has accumulated a bill against the taxpayers of Canada of nearly $10,000 for services rendered to form an excuse for a subsidy to a steamship line. That subsidy was decided on before Mr. Preston's report was received by the Government. It is a matter of political expediency devised to placate a few exporters of the Prairie Provinces who will enjoy the benefits for which the taxpayers as a whole will have to foot the bill. Mr. Preston and the Ottawa administration and especially Mr. Mackenzie King, who is aware of the first principles of political economy, know that the Government of this country cannot control freight rates on the greatest traffic-bearing ocean. It is purely a political cry that they are seeking, and, so far, they have shown no disposition to submit their case for lower ocean freight rates to the Imperial Shipping Committee, the sole tribunal that could be supposed to have any jurisdiction in the matter. They prefer to judge their case themselves, although it deals with the fortunes of those over whom they have no control. It is an anomalous situation which means that the people of Canada will have to pay even more than they are paying now for wanton State interference with matters with which the State has shown no capability of interfering without inflicting losses on the people.

NEW PROHIBITION CAMPAIGN

Prohibitionists in Britain are again becoming very active and a new organization has been formed to bring about something in the nature of the conditions that prevail in the matter of the liquor traffic in the United States. The new movement is headed by Viscount Astor for the Conservatives, Mr. Philip Snowden for the Laborites, and Mr. Leif Jones for the Liberals. This trio has the support of thirty-seven temperance societies, and it has decided to outlaw from the movement certain temperance societies which are not regarded as sufficiently uncompromising. The new movement appears to have set local option as the first instalment of its drive. A measure of this character is to be prepared for introduction in the British Parliament, and then pressure is to be brought to bear on the members of all parties so as to remove the question in any sense out of the party political arena.

The saloon, or the public house as it is called in Britain, is regarded as a vulnerable point of attack in the new campaign. What is known on this continent as the "abolish the bar" movement is to be emphasized so that it seems an initial step is to be an attempt to reform the liquor traffic from within. There is even now a new licensing bill for Scotland which Lord Novar has just introduced in the House of Lords. This measure designs to bring into force an improved type of "saloon" where refreshments and the serving of non-alcoholic beverages would be obligatory. It provides for the equipment of rooms with adequate sitting accommodation. The movement in this direction also provides that any new "saloon" licences to be granted must be for houses of the type mentioned, and there is a call for the reduction of the existing licences by 20 per cent over a period of eleven years.

No doubt the new movement will meet with considerable opposition and the prospects are that Britain will not be inclined to fall into the errors that developed in other countries where Prohibition has been tried. It is almost impossible to imagine Britain in the same condition in which the United States now finds itself as a result of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act. The British people would regard such restrictions as aimed at their personal liberty. There is now, under the existing law, probably a good deal less drunkenness in Britain than in the United States in proportion to population. It may be admitted that in Britain much remains to be done in the way of promoting temperance, but that it will ever be done by the methods which Viscount Astor and his followers have in view is extremely doubtful. Britain, in the matter of reform, may go slowly but she eventually leads the world in results. She is not going to place on her statute book laws which cannot be enforced, or write into her constitution legislation which can be evaded and regarded as a by-word.

MRS. AGNES JOHNSTON

The deep sympathy of this and neighboring communities will go out to the sons and daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Mrs. Agnes Johnston, a pioneer of Victoria, who has just passed away. She had lived here for 57 years and during that lengthy period had contributed largely to some of the best influences in the city. In the earlier history of Christ Church Cathedral she was active, especially in a musical sense. Her soul was in whatever work she devoted herself to and her ability as a musician was always at the service of those who could benefit from its exercise. In that respect, as well as in other ways, she was a pillar of the Anglican Church and her interests and knowledge were artistic in every sense, and, above all, she was a good Christian, both in precept and practice. During such a long sojourn here and because of her personality she won many enduring friendships. Her loss will be mourned by all who had the privilege of making her acquaintance and estimating the qualities with which she was endowed.

The Memphis Commercial-Appeal says: "The average income is what the average man has to live on; his necessities should be governed by the amount of that income; luxuries may be indulged in if the amount of income is greater than the amount required for necessaries. And we know that extravagance and waste are the result of trying to put up 'a front' or 'make a show' in an effort to impress others. The high cost of living is not a myth, but the fellow who revised it to read the cost of high living was more of a philosopher than a humorist."

There has been a remarkable falling off in certain figures of the crime record of England and Wales. In 1913 the number of persons proceeded against for attempted suicide was 2,426 and in 1923, 676. In 1913 there were 738 cases of aggravated assault and in 1923, 471. Cases of assaults on constables in 1913 were 8,789, and this number had fallen to 3,983 in 1923.

Large Financial Merger

MINNEAPOLIS, April 15.—Negotiations have been completed for the consolidation of the Minneapolis Trust Company and the Wells-Dickey Trust Company in one of the largest financial mergers in the history of the Northwest. The institution will have assets of nearly $13,000,000.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The Single Taxers in America and the Labor Dictators in Russia tried to destroy the value of real property. Those two elements succeeded in lowering the value of real property, but they did not completely succeed in destroying the value of it.

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The ultimate object of Single Tax was to make ownership of real property unprofitable and throw it into the hands of the municipalities representing all the people—to make real estate common property.

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Single tax achieved its object in a measure. It compelled many property holders in every city which adopted it to forfeit their lands rather than meet the heavy taxation imposed upon properties. Sufficient lands were thrown into the hands of the municipalities to demonstrate the impracticability of Single Tax. Now a very interesting experiment is at an end and the municipalities which speculated in Single Tax are trying to induce private individuals to invest in the property that came into their hands as a result of that speculation.

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The Russian Dictators took a more direct method of achieving their end. They decreed nationalization of the land. In nationalizing the land the dictators destroyed its value, because the peasants, foreseeing that if they ploughed and sowed and reaped under state ownership there would be no assured reward for their labors. Under the system of nationalization all the crops produced became the property of the Government, to be disposed of according to the will of the dictators, who represented only a small minority of the people.

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The Russian peasants wanted something tangible as a reward for their toil, and as they had no assurance of anything of the kind they refused to till the soil. Therefore Russia during the past year did not produce sufficient food to sustain her own population, although that population has suffered a great decline under Soviet rule.

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Therefore the land in Russia has been delivered to the peasants. The attempt to destroy land values, like the attempt to destroy capital, has proved a complete fiasco. Land in Russia is under private ownership again and the dictators are offering inducements to capitalists to invest in Russian enterprises.

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The results of those experiments, one in Russia and the other much nearer home, are interesting. They have restored real property to its long-established position as "gilt-edged security" and the safest of all investments. The cities which experimented with Single Tax have paid dearly for their experience; but there are the very best of reasons for believing that the tide in their affairs has turned. The reverted land problem created by the Single Tax will solve itself in due time by natural business processes.

The immigration quota law adopted by Congress apparently has not accomplished the object for which it was ostensibly designed—or possibly it would be more correct to say that the quota law has accomplished the object for which it actually was designed. It has not reduced the number of immigrants entering the United States. It has increased the number of immigrants entering the United States from some countries and reduced the number of immigrants entering the United States from other countries.

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The United States Bureau of Immigration has published an explanation of the situation. It points out that the quota allotted to the British Isles, Germany and other countries of Northwestern Europe were greater, in some cases very much greater, than the normal immigration from those countries. Reckoning on the basis of immigration during the twenty-five years preceding the adoption of the act, the quota law put a severe restriction on the great movements from countries of South and East Europe and the Near East, but left the way open for substantial increases from North and West Europe. Under the operation of the act the immigration from the favored nations has been considerably greater than in normal times previous to the adoption of the quota system. Therefore the United States is not reducing the volume of its immigration; it is selecting its immigrants.

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The most interesting part of the report to Canadians says: "Meanwhile the admissions from British North America have increased from 86,136 in 1914 to 200,690 in 1924." The Federal Government claims that many of those immigrants from Canada are coming back. We trust that is true. Possibly we might induce them all to come back, with others added to their number, if this Government or any other Government could be induced to adopt a policy for the stimulation of industries in Canada instead of maintaining a policy that is feeding and filling industries in the United States. For example, it would be interesting to find out definitely how many people have gone from Vancouver Island to the States across the water and have found employment in industries that under a sound system might just as well be established upon Vancouver Island.

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But we are told that it would be a dangerous thing for Canada, that it might be a disastrous thing for Canada, to attempt even in a modified degree to follow the example of the United States. Yet the system adopted in the United States has produced the richest, the most prosperous and the most powerful nation in the world. Immigrants are being turned away from the doors of the United States. Canada is offering inducements to immigrants, and they will not come into the country in satisfactory numbers.

Canada's Story Day by Day

By BLODWEN DAVIES

APRIL 16

When Governor Douglas reported on this day in 1856 that gold had been discovered on the mainland of British Columbia, it was the first word in what was to prove the story of a great gold boom for the young colony. In the Spring and Summer of 1858 no less than twenty thousand men swarmed into the country, seeking the precious metal, and created a chapter of British Columbia history full of stirring events. Apart from coal, gold is now the most valuable product of Canadian mines, totalling in value over twenty-six million dollars annually and this output is increasing every month. Half a billion dollars worth of gold ore has already been mined in Canada. British Columbia produces yearly four and a half million, Yukon one and a quarter million and Ontario twenty million dollars worth. Ontario alone produces one-tenth of the world's supply of gold, and has the world's greatest goldfields in the northern part of the Province, only ten per cent of which has yet been explored. Ontario's gold production will probably double within the next few years.

Notable Anniversaries

On the battlefield of Culloden, or Drummossie Moor, the hopes of the Stuarts for restoration to the throne were finally extinguished. When the Highland forces were there dispersed by the greatly superior army of the Duke of Cumberland the rebellion inevitably collapsed and the position of the Hanoverian line was made secure. At the start the movement appeared by no means hopeless. From the time of his landing in Scotland in 1745 the Young Chevalier, Charles Edward, enjoyed a triumphal march to Edinburgh, and his defeat of Sir John Cope at Prestonpans aroused much fear at London, with corresponding joy in the Highlands. Further successes made the situation acute, but the outcome was decided by the failure of the Stuart standard to attract adherents in England. After reaching Derby, in its southward march, the Highland army was obliged to retreat, and the final disaster came when it was overtaken by Cumberland's forces at Culloden. The decisive battle was fought on April 16, 1746. "Bonnie Prince Charlie" was thenceforth a fugitive in the Western Highlands until he found means of escaping to France.

Historical Association To Hear Talk on Seal Fishery and Fur Trade

The regular quarterly meeting of the B.C. Historical Association will be held in the Provincial Archives next Friday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. C. H. French, B.C. district manager of the Hudson's Bay Company, will give an illustrated address on the seal fisheries and the fur trade.

A programme for future meetings is being arranged, and will include papers by Major Longstaff on the history of the naval establishment at Esquimalt; the postal system in colonial days, by Mr. Deaville, of the Postoffice Inspector's department; the Dewdney Trail, by Major Hareld Nation; and the history of the justiciary of colonial days, by Hon. Mr. Justice Murphy.

The association will participate in various historical ceremonies this Summer. These will include the pioneer reunion in Vancouver; the unveiling of tablets at Prospect Point commemorating the pioneer steamer Beaver; one at Langley, as the birthplace of the colony of British Columbia, and one at Yale to commemorate the building of the Cariboo wagon road; also the ceremonies connected with the centenary of the founding of Fort Vancouver, Washington.

The association has just issued its second annual report and proceedings, and this will be available to those joining at this time. Full particulars may be obtained from the secretary, J. Forsyth, Provincial Library. All interested in the history of British Columbia are invited to the meeting on Friday.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., April 16, 1925.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	40	52
Vancouver	48	54
Kamloops	34	60
Barkerville	12	50
Prince Rupert	34	60
Estevan	44	54
Calgary, Alta.	26	54
Winnipeg, Man.	36	50
Portland, Ore.	48	60
San Francisco, Cal.	48	70
Seattle, Wash.	48	54
Spokane, Wash.	46	54
Penticton	40	52
Vernon	30	56
Grand Forks	32	61
Nelson	28	56
Cranbrook	24	52
Edmonton, Alta.	30	50
Prince Albert, Sask.	24	40

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh east and south winds; mostly cloudy and mild, with showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Easterly winds; mostly cloudy and mild, with showers.

WEDNESDAY

Maximum	53
Minimum	46
Average	49

Bright sunshine, 1 hour, 12 minutes.
Rain, .22 inch.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

5:00 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.82; wind, N., 12 miles; rain, .32 inch; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.84; wind, E., 4 miles; rain, .38 inch; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.78; wind, S., 6 miles; rain, .02 inch; raining.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.79; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.60; calm; fair.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.68; wind, S.E., 14 miles; rain, .60 inch; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.76; wind, S., 12 miles; rain, .44 inch; raining.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.82; wind, S.E., 4 miles; rain, .34 inch; raining.

Seattle, Wash.—Barometer, 29.86; wind, S.E., 6 miles; rain, .34 inch; raining.

San Francisco, Cal.—Barometer, 29.90; wind, W., 10 miles; cloudy.

Kurdish Leader Reported Captured

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 15.—It is reported here today that Sheik Said, the leader of the Kurdish rebels, has been captured by the Turks engaged in putting down the Kurdistan revolt.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Religious Unity

Sir,—In awakening a religious consciousness in Israel, based upon the unity of Jehovah, Jehovah is bringing together that which belongeth together, thereby reducing all things to a unity in conformity with the unity of the Godhead. The Holy Ghost above is He who awakens this consciousness in God's elect. In awakening Israel from their own dead past and separating them from an Egyptian religious life based upon the natural, or where the spiritual and the natural are fused into each other, fostering hostility to the living God in an effort to find a unity between man and nature, instead of a unity between man and God. It is not in dead matter that men live, move and have their being, but in a creative and directive power, which science compels us to accept as an article of faith; that a number of atoms falling together of their own accord could make a crystal, a microbe, or a living animal, is as absurd as that an organized body of men acting as a unit and a will that has become unified through the singleness of their purpose could make a church for God to dwell in.

God is making known His own name, knowing to whom He will commit Himself, keeping a record of His people's names and blotting out from His Book that which is alien to His fellowship and to the spirit of unity in the fellowship which He creates. The spiritual reality of the inward life must be true to the Author and Giver of it. It is no longer a matter where the world of social action centres in common, but where God is at work, and where His voice is heard, understood, obeyed. God's voice is the same now as in the past, not only true to itself, but true to the inward life where God is at work making for Himself a new creature capable of His fellowship. God's plan is to bring together that which belongeth together, thereby reducing all things to a unit. If one of His saints should take up his place in hell there God would find him out, discipline him to hate that which God hates, until passing judgment upon himself he submits to God's greater scrutiny, and is quieted only when he appears as a child that is weaned (Ps. 130 and 131). It did not belong to the prodigal to feed on husks and to live in want while there was enough and to spare in His Father's house. "He will arise therefore and go to His Father," and confess and forsake his sins. God is ever at work recovering his people from an unequal and galling yoke. It was not for an Israelite to lose his individuality and nationality in Egypt. Jehovah is therefore come down to deliver His Israel.

Jehovah must reveal Himself in order to become known. Man cannot by searching find out God, nor can he create truth. When God furnisher the materials of knowledge sacred, or secular, or material, man can discover, observe, combine, classify and gather what nature unfolds concerning God. There is a constitution and order of the universe of which we form a part and find our place. Sin is the violation of this order, and with this breach of order comes death or separation from God. Life and death are the only alternatives for man. The one is rewarded with the unity of fellowship with God, the other with the death and disunion which follows separation from God. God showed his statutes and judgment unto Jacob; statutes and judgments by means of which they might live, in relation to Him, and when Israel provoked God unto anger He gave or permitted them statutes of their own in which they could not live. (Ezek. xx, 25-26).

God taught Israel, by word and sacrifice, the one path of life for man was self-surrender to a declared supernatural will or to the divine unity of Jehovah. Israel's conception of Jehovah is not that of substance or essence, or metaphysical abstraction, but an all-sufficient declared "Supreme Will." It is the Word out of the fire, not the fire itself which Israel understands. It is the words of eternal life and not simply the Word made flesh that the disciples understood. The Word which became flesh spoke to Israel without the flesh, spoke out of the fire. "Ye heard the voice of the words, but ye saw no similitude, only ye heard the Voice." (Deut. iv, 12). The Word became flesh in order that man no longer could misinterpret or misunderstand what God required of him. The God man surrendered Himself to the requirements of the Divine Will, surrendered His own life. What God requires of man, therefore, is the surrender of his own life in order that he may live. Israel preferred to die in sin than die unto sin, and by this act of unbelief, inexcusable in the sight of God, they were cut off.

God is no respecter of persons. "He who saveth his life will lose it, and he who loseth his life will find it." Any attempt at union wanting in this foundation is as good as none. To counterfeit the unity of the Godhead in a visible unity in a corporate body or an organized body of men acting as a unit with a will unified through the singleness of their purpose is man's way to exploit for selfish ends. Every institution, secular and divine, which is contrary to the mind of God and to the public interest, the end is foreseen: "All who come before the Great Shepherd of the sheep are thieves and robbers. God's sheep will not hear them."

E. MACQUEEN

2749 Quadra Street, Victoria, B.C., April 13, 1925.

Baby Competition

Sir,—You will remember that we held the Empire's Benniest Baby Competition last year in connection with the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley. This year we are again conducting Imperial Baby Week at the British Empire Exhibition, July 6 to 11, and in connection with it are holding the Empire's Mother and Baby Competition, 1925. In this the baby will be entered by means of a score sheet giving details of its physical condition, and photographs showing the competitor full length and unclothed. From these the judges will estimate its physical fitness. The mother will be entered by means of answering three set questions on mothercraft appended to the score sheet. The awards will be made on the joint totals of marks of credit obtained by mother and baby.

You will remember that one of the three first prize winners last year was a Canadian baby, James Edward Rowe, Whitby, Ontario; and a second one came from Newfoundland, John Angel Strang, St. John's, and one of the 120 prize winners also came from Canada, Kenneth Farrell, Mount Forest, Ontario. We are, therefore, looking forward to a very good Canadian entry again this year. Entries must reach the National Baby Week Council in London by June 13, 1925.

NORA MARCH, Secretary,
National Baby Week Council.

117 Piccadilly, London, W.1, England, March 30, 1925.

Held for Extradition

VANCOUVER, B.C., April 15.—Alleged to be wanted by the Detroit police on a charge of embezzling sums of money while operating a real estate in that city, a man described as Dr. Martin L. Bedford is being held by the Vancouver police pending further word from the Michigan city authorities. Police say the accused has waived extradition to the United States.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of April 16, 1875.)

The steamer Favorita arrived with the mails, freight, and a considerable number of passengers from the Sound about 6 o'clock last evening, and leaves the Hudson's Bay Co.'s wharf at 10 o'clock this morning for Olympia and way ports, connecting as usual with the cars at Tacoma.

Nanaimo—A good seam of coal has been struck in the combined shaft and bore which Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co., proprietors of the Wellington colliery, have been sinking on their land near Departure Bay. The shaft and bore are situated about three-quarters of a mile from high water. The seam was first struck on Monday, when they proved the coal to a depth of 14 inches. On knocking off last evening they had bored into the seam to a depth of three feet three inches, and not through the coal then. . . . The sloop Ringleader, displaying no lights, was sunk by the Dominion Government steamer Sir James Douglas.

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Home Economics as Compulsory Subject Debated by Delegates to Convention of Educators

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Reports of resolutions presented to the educational survey commission last Autumn were given at today's session of the Provincial Parent-Teachers' Federation convention in King Edward High School auditorium, Mrs. T. C. Rae presiding.

Mrs. A. T. Fuller presented rural problems, in which a request for technical schools in central locations, home economics on an equal basis with other subjects, with women inspectors, kindergartens in small towns, and optional commercial courses in high schools wherever there are sufficient students.

Wants Book Store

L. Fayne presented a resolution which had asked for the establishment of a provincial book store and an extension of the present plan of providing text books for pupils in rural districts.

Home economics as a compulsory subject, for girls was one resolution presented by Mrs. J. Muirhead, and the request was also made that this subject should be made a regular one of the course, and part of the regular entrance and matriculation examinations.

Music as a regular subject in high schools, with a system of music credits, was also asked, stated Mrs. J. S. Jamieson.

Many Immigrants Coming

WINNIPEG, April 15.—Within the next twenty-four hours, 1,321 immigrants en route to the farming districts of Western Canada will have reached Winnipeg. A special train carrying 500 new settlers arrived this morning, and three more are en route.

Rhubarb of exceptional tenderness can be grown from roots that are allowed to freeze under way, it was reported, and the members felt that Victorians would be glad of the opportunity to give practical expression of their gratitude for the self-sacrificing service rendered by the late Mr. Smith to the cause of the wage-workers in British Columbia.

UNDERWRITERS TO MEET HERE TODAY

ONE HUNDRED DELEGATES WILL ATTEND LIFE CONGRESS

First Convention of Year in City—Mayor to Extend Official Welcome—Public May Attend

One hundred delegates from Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Nelson, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nanaimo and other cities are expected to convene today at the opening sessions of the two-day Life Underwriters' Educational Congress, which will be held in the Empress Hotel. Lieutenant-Colonel Lorne Rose, D.S.O., president of the Victoria and Island Life Underwriters' Association, will preside over the initial deliberations of the convention this morning.

The Life Underwriters' Educational Congress is the first of the numerous conventions that will be held in British Columbia's capital city this year. Victoria is constantly growing as a convention centre and the decision of the life underwriters' body, embracing Canadian and American insurance men, to hold its gathering here this year testifies to the popularity of this city and its suitability for the conduct of convention meetings. This will be the largest gathering of life underwriters ever held in Victoria.

The congress opens this morning at the Empress Hotel, convention headquarters, when registration of delegates will take place. A civic welcome will be extended to the delegates by Mayor Pendray. What is expected to prove a feature of today's addresses is the discourse which will be delivered this morning by Mr. J. P. Dougherty, provincial superintendent of insurance.

Banquet and Dance

The Empress Hotel will this evening be the scene of the convention banquet, which will take place at 6:15 o'clock. At this function, Mr. J. J. MacSweeney, Dominion president, and Rev. Dr. Clem Davies, pastor of the Victoria City Temple, will be the speakers. This will be followed by an invitational dance in the hotel ballroom.

Prominent speakers from Eastern Canada, the Western States and British Columbia will attend the congress and give addresses on timely topics. Among those who will speak at the convention meetings are Mr. J. J. MacSweeney, president; Mr. George McCuish, vice-president, and Mr. J. A. McCamus, general secretary of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada. These officials will fully explain the Dominion-wide examinations for life underwriters to be held across Canada next month.

The general public is invited to attend the sessions of the congress today and tomorrow and listen to the addresses that prominent specialists and lecturers will give.

Today's Programme

Today's programme at the convention will be as follows:

Morning Session

Chairman, Col. Lorne Ross, president Victoria and Island Life Underwriters' Association:

9:00—Registration of delegates.
10:00—Invocation, Dean Quainton.
10:10—Welcome by chairman.
10:20—Civic welcome, Mayor Pendray.
10:30—Response, William Mann, president Vancouver L.U.A.
10:40—Address, J. P. Dougherty, superintendent of insurance.
11:00—"Group Insurance," H. A. Pearson, London Life, Vancouver.
11:20—"The Approach," W. W. Hutton, Sun Life, Vancouver.

Afternoon Session

Chairman, J. J. MacSweeney, president Life Underwriters' Association of Canada:

2:00—"The New Life Insurance Act," H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., Great West Life, Victoria.
2:30—Discussion.
2:40—"The Medical Examiner," Dr. M. Raynor.
3:00—Address, J. W. W. Stewart, Monarch Life, Winnipeg, Man.
3:30—Automobile drive.

Banquet Session

6:15—Dinner served.
7:20—Address, President J. J. MacSweeney.
7:50—Singing.
8:00—Address, Dr. Clem Davies.
9:00—Informal dance.

SYMPATHY OF LABOR EXTENDED TO FAMILY

Victoria Trades and Labor Council Remembers Services of Late Member

By a standing vote a resolution expressing the deep sympathy of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council with the widow and family of the late Mr. Phil R. Smith, was passed by the members of that organization at their meeting last night in the Labor Hall, Broad Street. The resolution embodied the appreciation of the council for the untiring efforts of the late Mr. Smith on behalf of Labor and Labor principles.

As a tangible expression of the feeling of the council, it was decided to offer the bereaved family 50 per cent of the proceeds of the May Day ball.

Arrangements for the ball are well

Kootenay Nominee

MR. W. K. ESLING

Who was recently nominated to carry the standard of the Conservative Party in the Federal riding of West Kootenay in the forthcoming Dominion election. Mr. Esling is no stranger to the political life of this Province, and his acceptance of the party nomination at the recent convention in the Interior constituency was a popular one. He was elected to the British Columbia Legislature in 1920 as representative of the constituency of Rossland. When the redistribution bill of last year combined the ridings of Rossland and Trail, the amalgamated riding elected the former Conservative member for Trail, Mr. J. H. Schofield, Mr. Esling having withdrawn from the contest. The Federal riding in which Mr. Esling is now a candidate, is a territory of considerable extent, comprising West Kootenay, Trail, Rossland, Nelson, Creston, Kaslo, Slocan and Revelstoke.

OBITUARIES

BUTTON—The remains of the late Mr. Alfred Button, who passed away at the St. Joseph's Hospital last Monday evening, are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street. Time and day of funeral will be announced on the arrival of his sons. The late Mr. Button was a native of England, aged sixty-nine years, and a resident of this city for the past sixteen years, late residence 84 Cadillac Avenue, Saanich.

DONALDSON—Service for the late Mr. John Pow Donaldson will be held in the B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

JOHNSTON—There passed away yesterday morning Mrs. Agnes Johnston, widow of the late Philip T. Johnston, at the advanced age of 83 years. She was born in Brighton, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past 57 years. The deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. S. Floyd, of Seattle, and Mrs. H. F. Hewett, of Victoria; also by two sons, Robert H. Johnston, of Mexico, and E. Purcell Johnston, of Keating, Saanich. The remains are reposing at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, whence the funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. Mary's Church, where service will be conducted by the Rev. A. E. deL. Nunns. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

JAN—The death occurred Tuesday evening of So Jan, aged 41 years, a native of Canton, China, and a resident of this city for sixteen years. The funeral will take place from the B.C. Funeral Chapel Friday morning at 10:30. Interment will take place in the Chinese Cemetery.

LEGGETT—The funeral of Samuel James Leggett, who passed away at his home, 120 Government Street, last Tuesday, will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Arthur deB. Owen will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay cemetery. The late Mr. Leggett was born in Napanee, Ont., 63 years ago and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty years. He is survived by his aunt, at the family residence, and a brother, Mr. John Leggett, in Ontario. (No flowers, by request.)

ROBINSON—The funeral of Walter David Robinson, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Robinson, 530 Obed Avenue, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and a large gathering of sympathizing friends were present, and the many beautiful flowers testified to the popularity of the young man. Rev. Daniel Walker officiated. Messrs. H. Dilworth, Thos. Kennedy, D. Fee, J. Barnes, T. Bridges and R. B. Moe acted as pallbearers. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery.

WARREN—The funeral of Douglas Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Warren, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last Saturday evening, was held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives, friends and large delegation of students from the University School, which school the young man was attending, were present to show their last respect. Dean C. S. Quainton officiated and the pallbearers were Messrs. R. H. Cotton, D. R. Collison, A. H. McNeill, V. G. Ridgeway, F. C. Fossett and D. J. McNab. The remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Moosehart Legion — Women of Moosehart Legion, Chapter 25, held their regular monthly meeting Monday evening, in the K. of P. Hall, with Senior Regent M. Parnall in the chair. The members voted that the sum of $72 be sent to the Supreme Lodge at Moosehart, in aid of the Moosehart extension fund. It was arranged that a dance be held on Wednesday, April 29, to raise funds to send delegates to the Big Moose convention, to be held in Spokane during the month of June, this year. It was also arranged that a home-cooking stall, a rummage sale, and a silver tea be held at an early date.

Oak Bay to Have Low Tax Rate if Two Deals Carry

If the Uplands by-law and the Oak Bay reverted land deal, which are now pending, reach fruition, Oak Bay will next year have the lowest tax rate that it has ever had, according to a statement made by a member of the Oak Bay Council at the public meeting held last night in the Municipal Hall, at which over 200 ratepayers of Oak Bay attended and heard the discussion on the by-law on the Uplands question, which will shortly be submitted to the people for their endorsation.

PIONEER OF SIXTIES PASSED YESTERDAY

Mrs. P. T. Johnston, One of Elder Residents of City, Prominent in Musical Life of City

LATE MRS. P. T. JOHNSTON

A picturesque personality held in warm affection by all the older residents of the city, as well as by many of the younger, passed yesterday morning in the death at the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, of Mrs. Agnes Johnston, widow of the late Mr. Philip T. Johnston.

Although in her eighty-fourth year, Mrs. Johnston was remarkably active, and only last Sunday attended as usual at St. Mary's Church to sing in the choir, of which she had been a member for many years. Her last illness, therefore, was very short, and she will be remembered only as she was ever known, bright, active, and interested in everything and everyone about her.

Born in 1842, in Brighton, England, she was one of twin sisters in a family of twelve children. She was married in England in 1868 to Mr. Johnston, who had already been to British Columbia trying his fortune in the Cariboo. The couple returned to Victoria the same year, and made this their home from that time onward.

Teaches Music

Mrs. Johnston was fortunate in having not only musical ability, but an excellent musical education, having studied singing with Dr. E. H. Turpin at the Royal Academy of Music. From her childhood she had sung in church choirs, and her experience in this way proved of inestimable value in the new country.

At that time teaching was one of the few professions which women followed, and on her arrival here Mrs. Johnston found ample opportunity to turn her musical gifts to good account. She took a position as arts and music mistress at the Angela college, Burdette Avenue, one of the first girls' schools of the city, shortly after her husband with a partner purchased a block at what is now the corner of Fort and St. Charles Streets to go into the horticultural business.

Taught Choir Boys

She also very early undertook the training of the choir boys at Christ Church Cathedral, and at one time instituted a very successful fife and drum band. Almost from the time of its inception, she associated herself with St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, and sang in the choir there almost up to the time of her death.

She was also a member of St. Mary's Women's Auxiliary. She had lived for some time in the Wick Building, at the corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Fowl Bay Road.

Among her more noted connections is a nephew, Sir Harry Johnston, the famous explorer, who is also a nephew of her husband's owing to the fact that a sister of Mrs. Johnston's married a brother of Mr. Johnston.

There survive two daughters, Mrs. J. S. Floyd, of Seattle, and Mrs. H. F. Hewett, of Oak Bay; two sons, Mr. Robert Johnston, of Mexico, and Mr. E. P. Johnston, of Keating. There are eleven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The funeral will be at half past two o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the B.C. Funeral Chapel and St. Mary's Church.

NEW OPTIMISM FOR PROVINCE

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New Optimism

Mr. Humphrey maintained that there was a new optimism and a new prosperity coming to the Province of British Columbia. British capital had proved of great benefit in opening up mines and developing other natural resources of the district which he represented, said Mr. Humphrey. In answer to Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, he admitted that the bounties on lead and zinc granted by the previous Government had been of value in putting these industries on their feet in British Columbia.

He urged the introduction of legislation at an early date for the reimbursement of Home Bank depositors. The town of Fernie, in the constituency adjoining his own, had been one of the hardest hit places in the entire Dominion, and its citizens had suffered a loss of nearly $800,000. He urged upon the Government the introduction of legislation for old age pensions, and also more equitable treatment for Great War pensioners.

Compares Railways

Dealing with the railway situation, from the point of view of labor, Mr. Humphrey compared the United States and Canada. The United States had 450 people per mile of railway, while Canada had only 221 per mile. Canadian railways handled 11,872 tons more per mile, for each employee, than United States lines. Canada had the lowest labor cost per ton mile in the world, the cost was $648, while in the United States it was $757.

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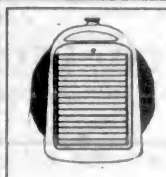

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Miss Hanman will be leaving Victoria in May for an indefinite period. May she, therefore, suggest that unless appointments are made without delay, it will be quite impossible for her to undertake any new cases. 22 Winch Building, Victoria, B.C.

Anti-Vaccination Meeting—Dr. H. Nowell, of Vancouver, noted speaker, will give an address against vaccination at Community Church on Sunday next.

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City and District

Opium Charge—Chin Gow, charged with having opium in his possession, was brought up in the police court yesterday, only to be remanded until today.

Set Meeting Date—Members of the Saanich Fruitgrowers' Association will hold a meeting next Wednesday, when the marketing problems of the growers this year will again be considered.

Ferry Traffic—A large number of motor visitors have already arrived in the city, coincident with the opening of the Anacortes-Sidney ferry, and the hotels are well satisfied with the travel to date.

Tourist Group Luncheon — The Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce will hold a luncheon at 12:15 Friday in the dining-room of the Chamber. Following the luncheon, business will be transacted.

To Meet Tonight—The regular monthly meeting of South Saanich Farmers' Institute will be held this evening at 8:30 o'clock. The evening will be devoted to entertaining the members of the Women's Institute.

Anti-Vaccination Forms—Statutory declarations against vaccination can be made at the Community Church again today, following the withdrawal of facilities for filling out the forms at the City Hall.

Liquor Remands—In the police court yesterday several charges of violation of the regulations with respect to the disposing of liquor were further remanded until Tuesday next, at the request of counsel for the defence, Mr. R. C. Lowe.

Women's Institute to Meet—The monthly meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held tomorrow (Friday), April 17, at 2:30 p.m. The hostesses will be Mrs. Peden, Mrs. C. Harrison and Mrs. McIntyre.

Ladies' Musical Nominations—As it is understood that many members of the Ladies' Musical Club still wish to send in nominations for the coming year's executive, final intimation is given that such nominations must be in the hands of the secretary, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, today.

Women's Liberal Forum — The regular meeting of the Liberal Woman's Forum will be held on Friday at 3 o'clock at Liberal headquarters. An interesting programme has been arranged. The speaker will be Mr. B. C. Nicholas. His subject will be "Liberalism in Canada." All interested are invited to attend.

Lecture on Indians—Rev. Canon Hinchliffe, M.P.P., will lecture on "Life Among the Blood Indians Thirty-Five Years Ago," in the Conservative Club quarters, Campbell Building, on Wednesday, April 22. The lecture will commence at eight o'clock. Mr. Drury Pryce will render violin selections.

Mining Men Arrive—Several Stewart mining men have arrived in the city, including Mr. S. P. Fitzgerald, of the Independence Group, at the Dominion Hotel; Mr. W. W. Rush, of the Columbia, at the Strathcona Hotel, and Mr. H. A. Horatman, formerly of the Victoria group, at the Dominion Hotel.

To Visit Observatory—The Engineering Institute of Canada, Victoria Branch, will visit the Gonzales Observatory at 2:45 p.m., on Saturday, April 18. Mr. F. Napier Denison will address the visitors on (1) "Abnormal Weather in North America" (illustrated), and will describe (2) "Milne-Shaw seismograph"; recent records will be shown; (3) "New Radio Time Centre."

Pet Show—Children wishing to enter their pets for the pet show, arranged by the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, should procure their entry cards at once and return them to the secretary of the S.P.C.A., Box 784, by April 25. Entry forms can be obtained from the secretary, 317 Sayward Building; J. T. Braden, Blanshard Street, and by writing Box 784, City.

Discuss Oriental Problem—At the meeting of the W.C.T.U. home board on Tuesday afternoon the Oriental problem formed the subject of a report given by Mrs. John Hall concerning a meeting held for the discussion of this question. Mrs. William Grant presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Spencer. Mesdames Mitchell, Grant and McEwen were appointed the home board committee for the month.

Home Workers' Store—A public meeting of those interested in the Home Workers' Store will be held in the Council Chamber of the City Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. The members of the Farmers' and Women's Institutes are reminded that they have received invitations. All arts and crafts workers and those willing to promote the home industries of the Island are asked to attend.

Missionary Lantern Lecture — An instructive lecture is being delivered in various churches by the Rev. J. Williams Ogden, of Vancouver, under the auspices of the Canadian Bible Society. Mr. Ogden shows in a series of lantern slides how the Empire has expanded on the heels of the work of the Great British and Foreign Bible Society and missionary effort. The lecture will be repeated in the Hampshire Road Methodist Church tonight at 8 o'clock, and in Emmanuel Baptist Church on Friday at 8 p.m.

Receive Awards—Presentation of prizes to the winners of the Good Friday road races took place last night, at a meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association, in the club quarters. The association celebrated the ninth anniversary of its organization in fitting style. President David Sheret presided at the smoking concert, in which contributions of song and story were given by Messrs. Uglow, Ingledew, Ramsey, Impett, Cobbett, Worth, Keracher, Watt and Pembridge. A review of the history of the G.W.V.A. was given by Mr. W. G. Stone.

Governor Meets Naval Men—Lieutenant-Governor Nichol last night paid a visit to the Naval Veterans' Association in the latter's club quarters at Esquimalt, met the naval men and their wives, and delivered an address. Mr. M. B. Jackson presided at the gathering, at which the president, Captain James, R.N., spoke. A splendid programme of music and story was given, the artists contributing including Miss Kathleen Davies, Mrs. E. Hopkins, Mrs. McMaster, Miss Marion Hadley, and Messrs. J. Hatherell, E. Clarke, John Davies and H. Smith. Dancing was enjoyed to strains of music provided by Miss Marion Hadley's orchestra.

WOMAN CONFESSES TO POISONING CHILDREN

Also Admits She Took Poison Herself But Not Enough to Do Anything But Make Her Ill

CROWN POINT, Ind., April 15.—Mrs. Anna Cunningham, charged with the murder today of one of five members of her family who have died in the last six years, confessed in the county jail here tonight to H. Strong, that she had poisoned three of her children.

Mrs. Cunningham denied, however, that she had poisoned her husband or a fourth child who died within the six year period. Her nineteen-year-old daughter, Mae, heard Mrs. Cunningham's confession.

Mrs. Cunningham also confessed that she had poisoned her son, David, now ill in a Chicago hospital, and said that she had taken some of the poison herself, but that the amount had not been large enough to do anything but make her ill.

DEPLORES KNIFE USE BY YOUNG PHYSICIANS

Dr. Manion Says It Is Criminal to Allow Doctors Without Experience to Perform Operations

OTTAWA, April 15.—The surgical knife in the hands of a practitioner without sufficient surgical experience was deplored by Captain the Hon. R. J. Manion, M.P., of Fort William, in an address to the Association of Officers of the Medical Services of Canada, at the retiring president's luncheon here today.

There should be a greater division between purely medical practice and surgery, Dr. Manion declared. He declared that nowadays a young man could graduate with the letters M.D. after his name, and without proper post-graduate experience, set his hand to the most difficult and dangerous operations.

Should Have Experience

"This is nothing short of criminal," said the speaker. "I think that no young practitioner should be allowed to perform operations of any serious character unless he has had adequate surgical experience, some years in a big hospital, or other practical experience."

Dr. Manion declared he had been present, but powerless to protest, when incompetent surgeons had performed operations.

COLD DAYS FORECAST FOR COMING SUMMERS

Unless Scientific Signs Fail, Holiday Season This Year Will be Cool and Next Year Cooler

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Unless scientific signs fails, says Lieutenant-Commander George E. Brandt, aide to the naval hydrographer, this Summer will be a cold one, and the Summer of 1926 even colder.

A study of solar radiation and ocean temperatures has convinced him that next year "Summerless" 1816 may be duplicated.

Lieutenant-Commander Brandt points out that cyclonic disturbances are the unknown quantity in the weather equation, and that while the present outlook is for a decided temperature drop, actual conditions at the time may be far different, because of factors that are now known. He believes, however, that ocean temperatures greatly influence the weather, and that the 1925-6-7 weather already has been largely determined by the heat of the sun that was stored up in the ocean during 1922-3-4, when solar radiation was below normal.

SOUTHERN ROUTE FOR CONTINENTAL HIGHWAY

Plan Extension of Automobile Road Systems From Washington, D.C., to Los Angeles

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—California members of the American Legion have been asked to indorse a new transcontinental highway to be called Wilson Highway, in honor of the World War President.

The proposed highway would stretch from Washington, D.C., to Los Angeles. It would traverse a southern route, passing through Augusta, Ga., the childhood home of Woodrow Wilson. State officials of the legion have been notified that a movement has been started in the East to support the project.

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EXPECTS LARGE CROWD AT FROLIC

Many Novel Features Are Promised for Shriners' Frolic at Armories Tomorrow Evening

The Shriners are busy making ready for the reception of from 4,000 to 5,000 people at their frolic to be held at the Armories tomorrow evening. It is the intention to make the frolic more lively, and more elaborate than that of last year.

All kinds of novel amusements have been devised by the Shriners in an effort to give their guests an evening filled with thrills.

A number of other Shrine temples will be represented in the audience. A special orchestra has been engaged. The carnival atmosphere will be at its best on Friday night, and a number of unique features will add to the gaiety of the dance.

DICK TURPIN'S CAPE NOW LEADS FASHION

Spring Styles Feature Garment Used by Highwaymen of Many Years Ago

LONDON, April 15.—The highwayman's cape worn by robbers in the time of King George 1 is coming into fashion this Spring for women. Capes generally are in favor, but the style made famous by Dick Turpin, the Jesse James of England 200 years ago, and other notables in the robbing game have been particularly popular, most of them dipping far past the waist line, many of them scallopwise.

Among the first to follow this vogue was Miss Ava Bodley, well-known in society, who was married recently to Robert Wigram, secretary of the British Embassy in Paris. Mrs. Wigram's going away costume included a cape over a long coat which matched a pale mignonette green dress and green felt hat.

PAPYRUS TELLS HOW OLD MEN GET YOUNG

Ancient Medical Document Uncovered by Professor Reveals Amazing Scientific Knowledge

NEW YORK, April 14.—A chapter on "How to Change an Old Man Into a Young One of Twenty," has been found in the oldest treatise on medical science and surgery in the world—a copy of which was recently discovered by Prof. James H. Breasted, of this city.

Evidence that medical knowledge assumed to belong to the last two generations alone was known to at least one man seventeen centuries before Christ, is also contained in the volume, it is said.

The passage on making old men young was written on the back of the papyrus. Dr. Breasted announced, but as yet he had not deciphered its whole contents.

One script in the book reveals that the author, described by the professor as "a truly scientific man with an amazing knowledge of real medicine," knew that paralysis of one side of the body was caused by a brain infection of the other—a fact lost for more than 3,000 years and rediscovered in modern times.

"The observations recorded in the papyrus," Dr. Breasted said, "show that the recognition of localization of functions in the brain, mostly the work of modern surgeons and others within the last two generations, had already begun in the seventeenth century B.C., when all Europe still lay in savagery or barbarism."

Ice Cream Eater Claims $50,000 for Hebrew Sin

NEWARK, N.J., April 14.—Suit for $50,000 has been filed in court here by Morris Heyman against a local ice-cream company which, he declares, forced him, his wife, and his silver anniversary wedding guests to sin inadvertently.

Heyman's suit complains that he ordered twelve bricks of ices from the company to serve his guests, and that instead ice cream was sent, a mistake not discovered until all had eaten the dessert. Because they had already eaten meat this constituted a violation of a canon of Hebrew law which rules that both meat and milk shall not be eaten at the same table.

Heyman alleges his guests became angered and left in haste; that his reputation has been damaged; that he has lost large sums of money in his business as a result, and is an object of suspicion as to his orthodoxy.

According to one authority a single London fog may cause greater loss of life than a pitched battle.

It is said Boston in 1845 had an ordinance forbidding bathing except by the order of a physician.

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"BIGGEST AND BEST" SAYS FAIR MANAGER

Ald. J. A. ("Five Points") Shanks Says Home Products Fair Will Be Big Success

"It will be the biggest and best yet," declared Alderman J. A. ("Five Points") Shanks yesterday in describing next week's Home Products Fair, of which he is manager.

"The fair," he went on, "will be only the beginning of an aggressive campaign to popularize local products. We are going to prosecute that campaign with sufficient vigor to make every locally manufactured product familiar to every Victorian."

Local manufacturers have welcomed the idea of the fair so enthusiastically that yesterday there were only four booths at the Armories still unoccupied.

Alderman Shanks expects a record breaking attendance during the five days of the fair, which will begin next Tuesday and continue until Saturday night. Not only the anticipation of viewing interesting and beautifully arranged exhibits will draw the public to the Armories, he says, but music, novelties, games and dancing will serve as magnets, too.

To every purchaser of an admission ticket will be given a chance at winning one of the city's reverted lots. This is situated on Linden Avenue directly opposite the Argyle Apartments, and "It's no slouch of a lot," Alderman Shanks declares.

Bands and Dancing

A band will be in attendance every afternoon and evening, and there will be dancing on three of the evenings of the fair. An energetic programme committee has arranged other entertainments which will make of the fair an opportunity for pleasure as well as for instruction.

Mayor Pendray will formally open the fair on Tuesday evening with appropriate pomp and ceremony.

Each day addresses will be given by prominent business men in which will be explained why it is to the economic advantage of Victoria for all Victorians to patronize home industries.

Government Exhibits

Both Federal and Provincial Governments will be represented at the fair. The former will instal a poultry exhibit. The Forestry Department of the latter will stage a beautiful forestry exhibit, and the Department of Agriculture will contrive an elaborate agricultural display.

Citizens will be given an opportunity of studying some of the more recent of local inventions which now are being marketed. Amongst these will be the signalling device of the Mellis Auto Hand Signal Company, Ltd.; the Caufield stooking machine, and the irrigating machine of the Economy Irrigation Company.

Exhibitors

The list of exhibitors as at present constituted is as follows: W. J. Pendray & Sons, Ltd.; British America Paint Co.; Mellis Auto Hand Signal Co., Ltd.; McCandless Battery Co., Ltd.; Albion Stove Works, Ltd.; Brackman-Ker Milling Co., Ltd.; Hiker Manufacturing Co., Ltd.; Wm. Carmichael, Silversmith; Economy Irrigation Co.; B.C. Peetz, Silversmith; Colonist Printing & Publishing Co.; H. Wilkinson, Cooper; Moore & Whittington Lumber Co.; City of Victoria Land Dept.; Wheeler & Fort, Photographers; Victoria Bed and Mattress Co.; Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Co.; Caufield Stoker Co.; Cameron Lumber Co.; W. A. Jameson Coffee Co.; Lemon, Gonnason Lumber Co.; Shelly's Bread; Beach-Eakin Co., Ltd.; Holsum Products; B. C. Electric Railway; Stevenson's Chocolates; Victoria Textile Co.; Growers' Wine Co.; Davis & Schmeeik; White Cross Rubber Co.; Yarrow's, Ltd.; Williams-Harte, Paints; Sidney Rubber Roofing Co.; Provincial Agriculture Dept.; Provincial Forestry Dept.; Dominion Government, egg and poultry exhibit; Amberine Oil Co.

H.M.S. GREAT BRITAIN IS IN SLACK WATER

Rudyard Kipling Offers London Chamber of Shipping Some Advice as to Future of Nation

"It is not for me to teach you your business, but, believe me, gentlemen, a ship is a ship, and you cannot get away from it," said Mr. Rudyard Kipling in an address to the London Chamber of Shipping recently.

"H.M.S. Great Britain carries a passenger list, including stowaways, of forty-five millions, and, owing to peculiarities of her construction, there are never more than six weeks' supplies of consumable stores aboard her at one time.

"The balance must come by ship, and if the shipping does not come, a fortnight would deliver us to panic indescribable, and three months would see us embarked on the gallant adventure of cannibalism. These are the facts which underlie the camouflage existence on H.M.S. Great Britain."

Attitude of Goodwill

After developing other features of national life, Mr. Kipling went on to say:

"Our sane attitude towards each other must be that of goodwill—a goodwill just a little more persistent, just a little more indefatigable than the ill-will which is being fabricated elsewhere." For if goodwill can once more be made normal, with it must return that will to work which is the trade-mark of established health in a people. If the will to work be too long delayed, then all that our race has made or stands for must pass into the hand of whatever nation first recovers that will.

"Our recovery has been held back by the propaganda of ill-will and despair that is meant to wreck all effort at its source. But, do you think the engines of H.M.S. Great Britain can be adapted to burn this kind of fuel? I don't. Our lives for the past few years may have done for some of us what Government control of trade in the war did for some big firms—knocked us off taking risks in the open market on small margins.

"There is no denying that a good many men have ceased to quote line. But the old individual instincts in us are not smothered. For men have grown a little tired of being told off to hate their neighbors by numbers at the word of command.

"This reaction may or may not mark a turn of the tide, but, at least, it gives a time of slack-water, during which H.M.S. Great Britain may begin to get under way again and work up to the higher pressures."

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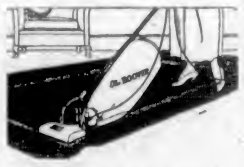

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Honor Son

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Player entertained at a very delightful dance at their home, 2950 Richmond Road, for their son, Francis, who is spending the Easter holidays in this city. The rooms were artistically decorated with Spring flowers, and during the evening a delicious buffet supper was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Priestley, Mrs. H. Carver, Mrs. D. Clinton-Baddeley, Misses Barbara Player, Yrma Mitchell, Helen and Kathleen Colpman, May Murrie, Alie Limmer, Madeline Priestley, Dorothy Peden, Caroline Tindall, Cora Lister, Muriel Benfield, Molly Stephenson, Kay Smith, Mabel Hemming, Alice Goepel (Vancouver), Valory Balantyne, Jean Mackay (Lethbridge), Florence Witney, Jenny Lifton, Messrs. G. Eaton, S. Meek (Vancouver), Jimmy Givens, Alf. Food, E. Boothroyd-Corby, Lionel Huxtable, Stan. and Harold Haynes, Reg. Carver, D. Boulton, Dr. C. Watson, Tammas Catterall, John Proctor, J. Cunningham, Dudley Wickett, Eric Jones, J. McCurdy (Jordon River), J. Fouracre, Elliot Player, Reg. Wenman, Goldwin Terry, Alan Mackay (Lethbridge), Stan. Bowers, E. H. Hickling (Mission), George Officers, Arthur Stott, and others.

Children's Party

Mrs. Nixon, Wilmot Place, Oak Bay, entertained at a children's party on Thursday afternoon in honor of her daughter Dare's eighth birthday and for her little guest, Miss Dorothy Hudson, of Vancouver. Those invited were Miss Anne Brown, Miss Kythie McKenzie, Miss Betty McIntosh, Miss Noreen Payne, Miss Stephanie Campbell, Miss Joan Forbes, the Misses Unsworth, the Misses Forbes, Miss Bambi de la Mothe, Miss Hazel Wright, Miss Mollie Little, the Misses Bullen, Miss Molly Kennedy, the Misses Gibbins, Miss Elizabeth Garret, Miss Bunty Baillie, Miss Constance Anderson and Miss Vivien Knight.

Easter Visitors

The Easter holidays have brought many guests to the city, among which are the following registered at the Y.W.C.A.: Miss Dick, of Vancouver, one of the old Y.W.C.A. girls; Miss F. Saunders, California; Miss M. Shelly, Vancouver; Miss Silverthorne; Miss T. Mahon, Mrs. and Misses Merryfield, Miss Ethel Hill, Miss P. Atkey, Miss Morris and Miss Robineon, all of Vancouver; Mrs. and Miss Westhead, of Burnaby; Miss Russell, of Young, Saskatchewan, and Miss Tomlinson, of England.

Married in Seattle

Announcement is made of the marriage in Seattle on April 15 of Mr. Kenneth V. Munro, of this city, to Mrs. Jeannette Warner, of Louisville, Kentucky. Immediately after the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. W. A. Major, D.D., pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Munro left for Vancouver Island, and intend to make their home in Victoria.

Announce Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, of San Francisco, and formerly of this city, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Annie, to Mr. Edwin Thomas O'Brien, of San Francisco, which took place on March 26, at the Fitzgerald Memorial Church. The Rev. Thomas Jackson officiated.

Expected on Coast

Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who went to Atlantic City to convalesce after his recent operation, returned to Montreal with Mrs. Coleman on April 9, and left next day for Winnipeg. They are expected on the Coast shortly.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander Leckie, of Penticton, B.C., announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Margaret Harp, to Frank Morley Broddy, of Victoria, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Alexander Broddy, of Toronto. The wedding will take place at the end of April, in Vancouver.

Return to Vancouver

After spending the week-end in the city, the guests of Mr. Tommy Lamppman, 820 Pemberton Road, Mr. Alex. Henderson, Mr. George Kirkpatrick, Mr. Brian Carr Harris and Mr. Frank Waite have returned to Vancouver.

For Vimy Dinner

Sir Arthur and Lady Currie are expected in Ottawa this week, when Sir Arthur will attend the Vimy dinner and will stay at Government House, later joining Lady Currie, who will stay with Major and Mrs. H. Willis-O'Connor.

To Meet Sister

Dr. L. T. Davis, of Parksville, is here to meet his sister, Mrs. Kirkland, whom he has not seen for some years. Mrs. Kirkland, who has been spending several months in California, will stay a few days here before proceeding to Toronto.

Dancing Party

Mrs. C. Wilson, Twenty-Fifth Avenue West, Vancouver, was a recent dance hostess in honor of her son, Morris, who is spending his Easter vacation at his home. He will return shortly to continue his studies at Brentwood College.

Home to Vancouver

The following visitors spent the Easter week-end in the city and returned to their homes in Vancouver at the beginning of the week: Mr. and Mrs. Austin Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chiene and Miss Harriet Haines.

Is Indisposed

Sir Hugh P. Allen, distinguished British musician, who was here last week and left Sunday suffering from a chill, is laid up at the Hotel Vancouver with illness, and has had to postpone his engagements.

Dance Postponed

Owing to its conflicting with a number of other social functions arranged for tonight, the dance which was to have been held at the Colwood Golf and Country Club, has been postponed.

Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wollaston, 1732 Oak Bay Avenue, celebrated the forty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday. A number of friends called during the day to offer their kind wishes.

From Portland

Mrs. Holt Cookingham, Mrs. Hamilton Corbett, and Mr. John Decamo, of Portland, have arrived in Victoria for the Eberts-Cookingham wedding on Saturday, and are registered at the Empress Hotel.

Winnipeg Guests Honored

Mrs. M. C. Gilmour, Fort Street, entertained with three tables of bridge and mah jong yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Tom Anderson and Mrs. J. C. Gordon, of Winnipeg.

To Hold Dance

The Cedar Hill Social Club will hold a dance on Friday evening in the St. Luke's Parish Hall, Cedar Hill. Professor Pitt's orchestra will supply the music from 9 till 1 a.m.

Return From California

Mrs. Arthur Lee and her daughter, Miss Winifred Lee, of 535 Trutch Street, have returned to the city, after spending the past three months touring California.

Tea at Y.W.C.A.

The members of the religious committee of the Y.W.C.A. were hostesses at a special and delightful tea at the association headquarters on Sunday afternoon.

Back From Seattle

Major Gus Lyons, M.C., M.P.P., returned yesterday from Seattle, where he acted as groomsman at the wedding of Mr. K. V. Munro, of this city, which took place on April 15.

From Seattle

Miss W. Blankevoort, of Seattle, arrived in town yesterday afternoon, and will be the guest of Mrs. Basil Combe, Verrinder Avenue, for several days.

Motoring to California

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Doidge and sons, Archie and Clarence, of 171 Bushby Street, accompanied by Miss Teale, are motoring to California to visit their son and daughter.

To Tour Island

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hastings, Eighteenth Avenue, Vancouver, arrived in the city this morning, and after a few days' visit, will motor up-Island.

Returns to Vancouver

Mr. Jack Hargreve has returned to Vancouver after spending the past week in the city, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hargrave, Oak Bay.

Well Known Here

Mrs. H. B. Jackson spent a few days in Winnipeg last week and left there on Thursday for a short stay in Montreal, before returning to Camp Windermere, B. C.

Banff Visitor

Mr. Wilfred Goddard, manager of the Imperial Bank at Banff, is spending a short holiday in the city, visiting relatives.

Vacation South

Miss Neva Stewart, of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is spending a three weeks' vacation with relatives in San Francisco.

From Seattle

Mrs. K. V. Gaul, of Seattle, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Le Sueur, of this city, for a few weeks.

Home From Vancouver

Miss Maple Winterburn, Dallas Road, has returned home after spending a few days in Vancouver, the guest of Mrs. Gwynne Hurrell.

From Vancouver

Mr. John Stevenson, of Vancouver, is a visitor in the city and is the guest of Major and Mrs. Selden Humphreys, Shasta Avenue.

Primrose Dance

The ladies of the Court Triumph have completed their arrangements for a primrose dance, to be held at the A.O.F. Hall, on Friday evening.

On Inspection

Mr. W. D. Neil, assistant manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraphs, Western lines, was in the city yesterday on an inspection trip.

In City on Vacation

Mr. O. W. Dey, of Port Alberni, is spending his vacation in Victoria and Vancouver.

Here on Business

Mr. R. Robertson, of Vancouver, who recently spoke at Keating on the growers' selling agency for fruit, was in the city yesterday.

Uplands Club Bridge

Convened by the ladies' committee of Uplands Golf Club, under the direction of the ladies' captain, Mrs. Boyd, a very successful bridge and mah jong party was held last evening at the Balmoral Hotel. About eighty guests were present, and at the end of the evening the prizes were presented as follows: Bridge—lady, Mrs. Hill; gentleman, Mr. Taylor. Mah jong—Mrs. Maynard. The party was made the occasion also for the presenting the Darcus handicap trophy, won by Mrs. Fairbairn; the prize to the runner-up, Mrs. R. L. Pocock; and the prizes for the tombstone competition played off last Friday, the winners being Mrs. Fairbairn, first, and Mrs. J. Ellis, runner-up. A ladies' committee, consisting of Mesdames Ellis and Hepburn and Miss Maxwell, served delicious refreshments. The proceeds of the party are designed for the furnishing fund of the new clubhouse.

Monday Dramalogue

At the Dramalogue on Monday, at the Empress Hotel, Sutton Vane's play, "Outward Bound," will be read, and between Acts 1 and 2, Mrs. Beasley will recite Austin Dobson's "Gentleman of the Old School."

Left for California

Miss Virtue Errington, of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is spending a holiday in California.

Mah Jong Party

Mrs. W. C. Todd, St. Charles Street, was hostess with two tables of mah jong yesterday afternoon.

Vancouver Visitors

Dr. and Mrs. K. D. Penton spent a holiday in the city during the past week.

To Vancouver

Mrs. E. M. Johnston is visiting in Vancouver and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. P. Wilmont.

From Prince Rupert

Mr. E. F. Jones, city solicitor of Prince Rupert, was in the city yesterday.

CONCLUDES CARD PARTIES

The last of the Burnside card parties was held on Saturday, President James Renfrew, supported by Vice-President J. M. Boyd, conducted the evening's entertainment. These socials have been a great success. The prizes were won by Mrs. MacCartney, Miss Huddlestone, Mrs. Pass, Mr. Pass and Mr. Cobbe. The next Burnside event is a sale of work by the Ladies' Club on Wednesday next.

"Enoch Arden" Presented At Ladies' Musical Club

Beautiful Tennyson Poem With Richard Strauss Music Given Yesterday Afternoon at Empress Hotel by Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Dramatic Reader, and Mr. Howard Russell, Pianist—Both Artists Accorded Very Hearty Vote of Thanks

A very popular innovation was introduced at the April recital of the Ladies' Musical Club at the Empress yesterday afternoon, when the melodrama, "Enoch Arden," was presented by Mrs. Gideon Hicks, reader, and Mr. Howard Russell, pianist.

These two artists, whose peculiar fitness for the presentation of the beautiful work had already been demonstrated at a private hearing given some weeks ago before the University Women's Club, proved themselves just as gifted in building up an atmosphere and holding the rapt attention of their audience in the larger hall as in the more intimate setting of a drawing-room.

The beauty of the Tennyson poem with its accompaniment and interludes of Richard Strauss music lost nothing by the transference to the bigger auditorium. The audience was quite obviously affected by the performance, and showed its appreciation in the applause which greeted the conclusion of the work.

Mrs. S. Maclure, president of the club, afterwards addressed a few words of special thanks to the artists, her tribute being supplemented by some further words by Mr. Herbert Kent, who asked that recognition might be given of the long time spent in the preparation of such programmes.

Three Main Themes

Mr. Russell prefaced the performance of the work by a ten-minute analysis of the poem and the music written for it by Richard Strauss. This brief descriptive analysis very cleverly indicated the outstanding incidents of the drama, and Strauss' creation of four or five principal themes to be employed as background or accompaniment.

As on the previous occasion, when given before the Women's University Club, Mr. Russell played over the chief themes several times with a view to assisting the auditors' recognition of them when they occurred in the work.

Without in any way marring the beautiful proportion which she attained in her original reading, Mrs. Hicks employed a much bigger voice than on the previous occasion, and every modulation could be distinctly heard in the remotest part of the hall. She also retained her original conception of the poem, achieving much finer results by the quiet dignity and easy impersonality of her manner than if she had striven for big elocutionary effects.

Sympathetic Pianist

Mr. Russell at the piano gave a very sympathetic rendering of the music also. The interpretive effects were particularly beautiful in the opening descriptive passages introducing the picture of the sea; later in the introduction of the Enoch, Annie and Philip themes; in the passages where pianist and reader together described Annie's vision of her lost Enoch amid the heavenly hosts; and finally (in Part I) of the commingled themes as heard with the description of the wedding of Annie and Philip.

Part II, devoted to the tragic story of the shipwrecked Enoch in his tropical isle, the arrival of a ship, the voyage home (at first full of hope, finally depressed by foreshadowing fears of possible calamity to his little family), the ultimate discovery of the deserted cot and the facts of Annie's marriage, these were all vividly told.

But the most poignant incident of all, Enoch's stolen glimpse of Annie's and Philip's happiness, is the climax of this scene, and was interpreted with a dramatic power which was quite in keeping with the generally fine interpretation of this beautiful work.

DELIGHTFUL DANCE AT VICTORIA YACHT CLUB

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Alec J. Watson Entertain for Sons—200 Guests

The Royal Victoria Yacht Club was the scene of a very delightful dance last evening given by Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Alec. J. Watson, in honor of their sons, Mr. Archie Miller and Mr. Bradley Watson. The reception and ballrooms were decorated with Easter lilies, flags and varied hued balloons. The music was supplied by Professor Charles Hunt's four-piece orchestra. The invited guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Savannah, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Watson, Misses Jean Edwards, Kath Smith, Rena Fleming, Mildred Philipsen, Margaret Adam, Betty Savannah, Alexe Bradshaw, Margaret Armstrong, Margaret Mackie, Betty McGregor, Kathryn Dane, Jo Brandon, Juata McKenna, Denice Lamant (Toronto), Doris Brown, Ferne Donaldson, Kathleen Bone, Grace Humber, Peggy Humber, Doris Dane, Audrey Tripp, Jean Moody, Betty Schofield, Peggy Schofield, Beatrice Ruttan, Mary Hunter, Margaret Fleming, Hope Leeming, Beatrice Hicks, Gertrude Hicks, Frances Johnston, Wylma Henderson, Jean Cotter, Bobby Payne, Doris Plimley, Norma Pendrey, Doreen Drummond-Hay, Doris Woolison, Grace Copas, Patricia Robinson, Prudence Robinson, Helen Sutherland, Mary Sutherland, Peggy Ditchburn, Janet Pearce, Pat Tooley, Peggy Gourlay, Constance Ross, Betty Herchmer, Elaine Gaillher, Mickey Gaillher, Florence Whitney, Ruth Hembroff, Edith Hembroff, Marian Hergreaves, Eleanor Dinsdale, Eileen Carruthers, Maureen McConnan, Doris Rines, Olive Rines, Gwen Winsbey, Isabel Ormiston, Mary Langley, May Cromble, Kathleen Ross, Sheila Stewart, Helen Smith, Frances Stewart, Dorothy Greenwood, Gertrude Hill, Valery Ballantyne, Dorothy Officer, Louise Wilkinson, Helen McKee, Gwen Woods, Miss Clinton-Babdiy, Aeneid Clarke (Vancouver), Isabel Young (Vancouver), Marian Willis (Vancouver), and Messrs. Blaire Dickson, Frank Player, George Officer, Donald Adams, Chris Smurthwaite, Chris Ferriman, Cedric Walker, Jack Fleming, Ned Willis, Phil Willis, Walter Fletcher, Billy Oliver, Tom Watkins, Conway Parrott, Herb Warren, Bill Winter, Ted Moore, Dennis Hagar, John Davidson, Leighton McMicking, Fred Cabeldu, "Bud" Allen, Bill Dillabough, Claude Bissell, Albert Russell, Doug Robertson, George Beatty (Vancouver), Joe Ross, Waldo Skillings, Charles Helsterman, Tom Woolison, Dick Diespecker, Herman Copas, Peter Bell, Bobby Tye, Tommy Tye, Roy Bennett, Harold Haynes, Dick Moore, Bill Hagar, Stanley Haynes, Jack Edwards, Bob Crombie, Bobby Halet, Jack McKenzie, Fred Patton, Doug Hunter, Henry Ruttan, Bill Latta, Ellbeck Wilson, Roger Wilson, Jack Langley, Dave Foubister, Bert Bailey, John Foubister, Ray Bowers, Goldwyn Terry, Stuart Henderson, Harold Brynjolfson, Stan Bowers, Roy Keay, Jack Stewart, Owen Newton, Ken McAllister, Fred Fossett, "Spud" Murphy, Jack Ross, Ken Moore, Bill Pendray, Don McMurchie, Bob Mitchell, Bob Miller, Tom Little, Jack Goodacre, Bob Collison, Bruce Forbes, George Porteous, Robert Smith, Reg Wenman, Alfred Atherton, "Buzzy" Coulter, Walter Fraser, Elmore Clarke, Ned Hodson, Godfrey Wenman, Harold Killick, Lennox Lindsay, Lewis Rounding, John Billings (Vancouver), Tony Farrar, Barclay Fisher, Tim Martin, Doug Cree, Archie Miller and Bradley Watson.

Science has determined that the buzz of a beehive comes from an extraordinary method of ventilation.

Catholic League Holds Meeting to Elect Officers

The Women's Catholic League held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the library of the Bishop's Palace, Rev. Father Sliver in the chair. Mrs. K. Sabin, the retiring president, gave a report on the year's work, which was most satisfactory. The new members elected were: President, Mrs. J. B. Plumb; recording secretary, Miss Mary Stewart; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. McManus; treasurer, Mrs. K. T. Hughes; councillors, Mrs. Kissinger, Mrs. W. W. Baines, Mrs. M. Briggs, Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. Edwin Hornsby; first vice-president, Mrs. McKenna; second vice-president, Mrs. E. Vernon Thomson; third vice-president, Mrs. Cavin.

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Buddhist Faith Inspires Exquisite Art of Nippon

Mrs. Adams Beck, Before Members of Arts and Crafts Society, Illustrates Lecture With Examples of Japanese Work—Every Child in Land of Rising Sun Is Potential Artist—Relations With Cultures of China, India and Korea

"The Art of Japan" was the subject of an address given last night by Mrs. Adams Beck to the members of the Island Arts and Crafts Society.

"Japanese art," said Mrs. Adams Beck, "is related to Chinese, Indian and Korean art, because it sprang into being with the acceptance of the Buddhist religion, and a true understanding and appreciation of it cannot be attained without some knowledge of Eastern literature.

"Art is the soul of Japan, and every Japanese child is a potential artist, because he writes with a brush with an elbow movement which makes drawing as natural to him as the writing of A B C is to a European child."

Japanese Sculpture

Mrs. Adams Beck explained how the general conception of Japanese art being "great in little things and little in great things" was wholly mistaken, and exemplified her point by showing some photographs of the "God possessed" and stupendous sculpturings in wood which are among the oldest treasures of Japan.

Among these was an image of the many-armed and four-faced image of Kwannon, which was inspired by Indian art, but translated from the grotesqueness of the Indian conception into a thing of strange beauty by the Japanese.

Two Classes of Art

There were photographs also of the exquisite metal work which is supposed to have no equal even in the finest of Florentine work.

There were two classes of pictorial art in Japan, one cherished by the noblemen, the other, considered by them plebian, though known to us as the most typical of the two, namely, the color prints, more beloved by the masses.

Among the "Patrician" examples was one of extraordinary interest, a painting picturing a child in an attitude of prayer, about whom a story was told that he awoke one night to hear the voice of God, and cried out in Japanese words equivalent to "Speak, Lord, for Thy servant heareth."

One would have supposed that it was from this picture that Sir Joshua Reynolds drew his inspiration for his famous painting of the infant Samuel, only that it was impossible that it should ever have been seen by him.

The Drama of Japan

Among some of the exquisite treasures shown by Mrs. Adams Beck, many of them belonging to herself and a few lent for the occasion by Colonel Appleton, were the color prints, some rare examples of Cloisonne word, a red lacquer sword which belonged once to a nobleman, a lacquer bowl made for the Empress of Japan, a portrait of a Japanese girl, bright in a flowery kimono and executed in silk thread embroidering on black material (the property of Colonel Appleton), and some interesting samples of the Japanese imitation of European art.

In conclusion Mrs. Adams Beck spoke briefly on the drama of Japan, with a promise to speak at greater length at another time, a project which was received with the warmest enthusiasm by her audience.

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Guard of Honor Attends Funeral of Archbishop

PORTLAND, April 15.—Funeral ceremonies for the late Archbishop Christie of the Catholic Archdiocese of Oregon City, concluded with pontifical requiem mass at St. Mary's Cathedral here today.

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B.C. Electric Presses Replacements Around Town Before Starting Jordan River Work

The B.C. Electric Railway Company is carrying out a large programme of renewal work in various parts of the city at the present time. The most important undertaking is that connected with the Esquimalt Road, from Point Ellice bridge through to the drydock. The new dock, as already stated, is going to be a large consumer of power, having a peak load of 2,000 horse-power to be provided for in the contracts with the Dominion authorities. It is largely with this consumption in sight that the Esquimalt Road work is being done, at an approximate outlay of $14,000.

The company is spending about $25,000 in various parts of the Oak Bay district, an extensive programme being in hand.

In the James Bay area the works being undertaken represent an investment of about $12,000.

Work in the city is being pressed, the Jordan River improvements and re-location of part of No. 1 transmission line to the city being delayed until the weather is better in the country.

THE SCREEN VERSION OF "CHARLEY'S AUNT" OVERCOMES PATRON

If a man goes to a moving picture and has such a good time that he laughs himself into hysterics, then into a serious stroke and later into a hospital, must the theatre or the picture producer, or the fun-making actor or actress, or the man himself bear responsibility, if any?

Such an occurance featured one of the showings of the famous comedy, "Charley's Aunt," at the Dominion Theatre last night. The patron, looking for laughs, found more to the square foot than he was capable of assimilating, and as a result passed out. Later he was carried out and an ambulance rushed him to a hospital. He will recover.

TO CLOSE BEAUTY CONTEST SATURDAY

Candidates for the Honor of Being Queen of Midsummer Carnival Must Hasten Entries

Entries in the Queen of Victoria's Crystal Garden Carnival contest must be sent in to the carnival manager before Saturday evening. It was announced yesterday.

Candidates may notify the carnival manager on Saturday of their intention to enter the contest and may then have until Monday evening to send in their photographs. Otherwise no pictures will be received after Saturday.

The original intention had been to close the contest on Wednesday next, but the committee in charge has decided it to be necessary to expedite matters in order that ample time may be had for the judging and election phases of the contest.

VANCOUVER GUESTS GIVE PROGRAMME

Misses Cave-Brown-Cave, Spending Easter Holidays at Resthaven, Give Delightful Concert for Residents

An excellent musical recital was given in the lounge room of the Resthaven Sanitarium on Monday evening last by Misses Mabel and Beatrice Cave-Browne-Cave, L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M., of Vancouver and New Westminster, who have been spending their Easter vacation at this Island hostel. The programme consisted of the following selections:

Piano solo, Sonata Appassionata, Op. 57, first movement (Beethoven); songs, (a) A Daffodil Song (Weekes), (b) Keremos (Harris); reading, The Singing of the Magnificat (Nesbit); piano solos, (a) Nocturne in G Minor (Chopin), (b) Prelude in D flat, major (Chopin); songs, (a) The Prayer Perfect (Stenson), (b) In an Old-Fashioned Town (Squire); piano solo, Largo (Beethoven); songs, (a) Garden of Dreams (Coombs), (b) Twilight (Mabel Cave-Browne-Cave).

CONCLUDES ITS SEASON

The Lake Hill Community Centre held its final military "500" for this season on Monday evening. There was a very good attendance, and after an enjoyable game the following players were declared the winners: First table, Mrs. Service, Mrs. McCallum, Mr. Watson, Mr. Storier; second table, Miss Douglas, Mrs. Holdcroft, Mr. Lowe, Mr. Laycock; the ten bid (after cutting), Mrs. Barclay, Mr. Holdcroft; consolation, Mrs. Griffiths, Mr. Service, Mr. Quayle, Mr. Townsend. Special prizes for the lady's and gentleman's highest total score for the second half of the season were won by Mrs. Knowlton and Mr. H. A. Laycock.

The evening closed with refreshments, served by a joint committee of the Community Centre and the Women's Institute. During supper three tombola prizes were drawn for and the lucky numbers were held by Mr. Ferrimon, Mr. William Peddie and Mr. A. McCallum.

The regular weekly games will be continued in the Fall, when due announcement of the opening date will be given.

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whether or not the roads are private or public.

Reeve Anscomb gave a concise statement of the history of the association of Uplands, Limited, with the corporation of Oak Bay, and fully outlined the details of the 1910 and 1919 agreements which had existed between the respective parties. He said that the Uplands, Limited, were two years behind in payment of their taxes to Oak Bay, and owed $27,431 to the municipality on that account.

If the by-law is endorsed by the ratepayers, the Reeve observed, the Uplands people will be granted a blanket or average assessment of $800 an acre for ten years, commencing with January 1, 1926, and will be remitted the sum of $27,431, total tax arrears against the company. The municipality of Oak Bay, in return for this concession, will receive clear title once and for all to lot X and everything that goes with it, viz., sewers, roads, water, light, etc., and the sum of $10,000 cash, which is to be applied to this year's taxes. The securing of this title will remove, he contended, for all time the shadow of arbitration, which, he was satisfied, would be a more dangerous proceeding.

Must Maintain Improvements

If the municipality secures possession and ownership of these Uplands improvements, it will be necessary that they be maintained in a proper state by Oak Bay. The Reeve said that the Council had been advised that the average cost to Uplands, Limited, of maintaining these improvements during the last ten years had been about $6,900 per year, which did not include some management and automobile charges. He thought the corporation could carry on that work without an increase in staff, or with a slightly augmented one. He said Oak Bay would receive some $9,200 per annum, plus the regular taxes from private owners, so that "we shall have more than enough to carry the property along."

Reeve Anscomb pointed out that Uplands, Limited, had paid into the Oak Bay treasury the sum of $150,000 in taxes, and yet the company had not received any service for same from the municipality. The speaker also said: "Let us assume that the lands of Uplands, Limited, revert to the municipality, the residents take no action, and Lot X, the improvements in Uplands, such as streets, sewers, etc., revert also at the end of three years. We would be in a position of having on our hands an additional reversion equal to approximately one-sixth of the entire municipality, which, to my mind, would be a calamity of the worst kind."

Councillors Hayward, Mearns, Edwards, Money and Wilson spoke briefly, and expressed their support of the by-law. Councillor Ashe, the only member of the Council who does not approve of the by-law, said he thought the Uplands, Limited, should be treated like any individual ratepayer. He believed that by taking over the improvements in Uplands, Oak Bay would be securing a liability, instead of an asset. The improvements were fifteen years old and it would take all of $9,500 per year to keep them in repair and upkeep, he said.

"An Amazing Proposition"

Mr. W. J. Alder, one of the most vigorous opponents of the by-law, described the agreement between Uplands and Oak Bay as being an "amazing proposition," and said that "surely the ratepayers are not going to sit idly by and pay the taxes for the Uplands people for the next ten years."

Messrs. W. J. Alder and R. R. Sutherland said that they would have no difficulty at all in raising the sum of $27,431 to purchase the lands of Uplands, Limited, for taxes, if the said properties should revert in the future to the municipality.

Mr. Alfred Carmichael said that he knew for a certainty that the roads in Uplands were private, and not public property. He said that Uplands, Limited, had spent over half a million dollars in development work, and that Uplands was practically a public park paid for by private enterprise. He pointed out that Uplands, Limited, felt that it was entitled to special treatment for what it had done for the municipality, and suggested that it would be a terrible black eye for the district if "a beautiful section of Oak Bay" was to go to tax sale.

Messrs. C. E. Wilson, C. L. Harrison, General Dunbar, E. S. Halsall, K. R. Streatfeild, F. B. Pemberton, Andrew Wright, Barraclough and others addressed the meeting and gave their views on the matter.

Wheat Held by Farmers

OTTAWA, April 15.—At the end of March, according to the reports of crop correspondents, 15 per cent of the total wheat crop of 1924 remained in farmers' hands, this proportion applied to the total estimated production of 262,097,000 bushels, represented 39,225,000 bushels.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Edmonton "Grads" Find Local All-Star Girls Easy

Score Thirty to Six Victory in Exhibition Game at Armories Last Night—Game Watched by 1,500 People, but Is Disappointing—Floor Was Like Ice Surface and Players Find Difficulty in Showing Speed and Stopping

The Edmonton "Grads," world's basketball champions, added more laurels to their already heavy crop last night at the Armories, before 1,500 people, when they defeated the Victoria All-Stars by a score of 30 to 6. The game, as far as the fans were concerned, was a disappointment. The teams were forced to play on a floor that had a surface almost as slippery as a skating rink, and at times the players had to go down on all fours in an effort to stop themselves.

Under this big handicap, the speed and sparkling plays which the two teams are capable of displaying were almost entirely lacking. The visitors, however, showed great team work. Their short passing game and shooting were good, while they excelled in dribbling. Their players had a big edge as far as individual weights and heights were concerned, and they used both of these assets at every opportunity. Their close checking game at times seemed to have the locals at sea, and they were always inside their players.

The locals' team work was lacking. They left their checks uncovered and appeared to be puzzled at the defence of the champions. The long passing game which they indulged seemed to fit the style of play for the "Grads," and on almost every throw-in or attempted combination their long passes were intercepted before they reached their intended player. "Spark Plug," the "Grads'" mascot, was there at the opening, and seemed to enjoy the game.

Looked Like a Thriller

From the start it looked as if the game was going to be a thriller. Isabel Crawford made the crowd draw their breath when her first shot on the hoop went half in and then fell back to the floor. Dot Johnston, after she had regained her footing when she nearly crashed through the building, opened the scoring with a pretty backhand shot from under the ring. Kathleen Wellburn almost reciprocated, but her shot went around the ring and dropped outside, much to the dismay of the fans. Long shots were greatly in evidence in this period, and the "Grads" appeared to be looking things over before they struck their usual stride. Dot Johnston ended the scoring for the ten-minute period with a beautiful shot from about fifteen feet out. Score: "Grads" 4, Victoria 0.

Bona Macmurchie replaced Dorothy Melville at guard in the second quarter. Edmonton seemed to like the going a little better in this period, and the resin which they placed on the soles of their shoes seemed to give them a better balancing and braking power. Mary Dunn, Connie Smith and Dot Johnston made some stellar plays in this period and had some hard luck with their shooting. Victoria gained their first points in this period, when Kathleen Wellburn and Isobel Crawford netted penalty shots Elsie Bennie drew a big hand from the stands just before the final whistle blew, when she put in a long one from near centre. The score at the end of this period stood 14-2 for the world's champions.

Johnston Girls Good

Grace Wellburn went on in place of Doris Melville at the start of the third period. The Johnston girls had their eye right on the basket in this period, and netted three pretty baskets between them. Mary Dunn and "Skipper" Connie Smith both missed several hard shots which looked like ringing the bell. The defensive tactics of the locals improved during this quarter, but the long passing game let them down in the scoring column. Only two shots were placed near the basket by the locals in this frame, the period ending 22 to 2.

Several changes were made in both teams at the commencement of the last quarter. Hattie Hopkins went on in place of Dot Johnston for the Edmonton team, while Kathleen McRae replaced Elsie Bennie. Victoria sent on Madge Breckenridge, Florrie Gates and Kathleen Robertson in place of Bona Macmurchie, Grace Wellburn and Kathleen Wellburn respectively. Two baskets were gained in this period by the locals, Florrie Gates adding one and Isobel Crawford the other. Both were clean shots and were well deserved. Connie Smith added two more before the match closed, while Dot Johnston and Elsie Bennie scored other ones.

For the winners, everyone showed they knew the game thoroughly, and Edmonton proved they have a team that well merited the name of world champions. Connie Smith had an edge on the forwards, while the defence put up by Mary Dunn and Elsie Bennie was a hard problem to solve. Isobel Crawford and Florrie Gates did some splendid work for the local team, while Kathleen Wellburn was always in the play. Eddie Evans, of Duncan, refereed, and the teams were as follows:

The Line-Ups

Edmonton "Grads" — Forwards, Dot Johnston (4), Hattie Hopkins (8), Daisy Johnston (2); centre, Connie Smith (5); guards, Mary Dunn (7), Kathleen McRae (4), Elsie Bennie (2).

Victoria—Forwards, Kathleen Wellburn (1), Madge Breckenridge, Isobel Crawford (2); centre, Kathleen Robertson; guards, Florrie Gates, Grace Wellburn, Ella Lewis, Doris Melville, Bona Macmurchie.

The exhibition game played prior to the main match, between James Bay Outlaws and James Bay Seniors, was won by the Outlaws by a score of 36 to 24. The teams were greatly handicapped by the slippery surface of the floor, but they put up a hard game.

LONDON, April 15.—It was officially said today that King George and Queen Mary will terminate their Mediterranean trip next week, returning to Buckingham Palace April 25.

NO RECOGNITION FOR SEMI-PRO SPECIES

President Watson Makes It Clear to Mainlanders in Reply to Query Concerning Baseball League

VANCOUVER, April 15.—In reply to an inquiry from Vancouver regarding the rumor that the Victoria Amateur Baseball League might not affiliate with the B.C. Amateur Baseball Association this season, but confine its activities to the proposed international semi-pro. league, to include Anacortes, Port Angeles and Bellingham, J. Percy Watson, president of the B.C. Amateur Athletic Union, has wired as follows:

"An official of the Victoria Baseball League is authority for the statement that the matter of an international semi-professional league has been neither suggested nor considered by them, and is a very remote possibility.

"The A.A.U. of C. does not recognise the semi-pro. species. Players must be in one class or the other, and amateurs cannot compete in the same events with professionals without losing their amateur standing."

SEATTLE TO STAGE BIG POLICE MEET

Star Athletes From All Quarters, Including Victoria, Expected to Compete in Late June

SEATTLE, April 15.—Harold Osborne, champion high jumper and all round athlete; Jole Ray, Hehn, and other stars from all sections of the country, will compete in Seattle at the annual international police athletic meet, if present plans carry. The annual classic will be staged in Seattle this year. Con Walsh, world's champion weight thrower, Irish-American A.C., a member of Seattle's police department, is one of the men, along with Joe Mason, president of the Seattle Police Force Athletic Association, and Chief Severyns, trying to arrange the meet.

It is thought that if the date of the police meet is set about a week before the national championships at San Francisco, July 3, 4 and 5, the athletes on their way to the California classic will stop over in Seattle and show their wares.

Vancouver, Victoria, Spokane, Tacoma, Portland and other Northwest cities will send men to the meet, and with the array of stars from the East, it should rank with one of the best track and field gatherings of the year.

"BISCUITS" HAS TURN AT WINNING TITLE

Loses No Time in Relegating Wayne Munn to Back Numbers in Straight Falls

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 15.—Stanislaus Zbyszko, of New York, tonight regained the world's heavyweight wrestling title, which he formerly held, by defeating Wayne (Big) Munn, Nebraska giant, in two straight falls.

The first fall came in eight minutes eleven seconds, and the second in four minutes and fifty-three seconds. In pinning Munn's shoulders to the mat, the first time, Zbyszko used a forearm hold; the second time he employed a forearm and hammer.

Coming to Vancouver

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Stanislaus Zbyszko, who tonight won the world's wrestling championship in Philadelphia, is scheduled to appear here on May 8, when it is probable he will meet Jatrinda Gobar, Hindu wrestler.

Hamilton Academicals Much Too Expensive

WINNIPEG, April 15.—An offer from the Academicals of Hamilton, Scotland, to tour Canada at the close of the regular soccer season, has been turned down, according to Sam Davidson, secretary of the Dominion Football Association, today. The club, which is about midway in the First Division of the Scottish League standing, asked 50 per cent greater guarantee than the touring Scots in 1923.

Welter Championship At Stake on Monday

MONTREAL, April 15.—Kid Roy and Bobby Garcia, featherweights, will meet in a bout here Monday night which will be preceded by a contest between Bert Schneider, former Olympic champion, and George Field, of Toronto, who will box for the Canadian welterweight championship.

Out Agin, In Agin; Flyin' Finn Runs Agin

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 15.—Paavo Nurmi, Finnish distance runner, who has been under suspension by the American Athletic Union because of his failure to appear, as advertised, at a meeting in Kansas City, Monday night, was reinstated today.

ONTARIO GOLF

TORONTO, April 15.—Decision to hold the Ontario amateur golf championship on the grounds of the Summit Club, Toronto, on June 18, 19 and 20, was made today at the annual meeting of the Ontario Golf Association. The Ontario open championship will be held over the same course on June 22.

Y.M.C.A. CIRCUS STARTS TONIGHT

DOOR WILL BE THROWN OPEN FOR FIRST TIME AT 7:30

Lengthy Programme, Including All Circus Events, Will Be Gone Through—Three Bands

The long-looked-for indoor circus of the local Y.M.C.A. will start tonight at 7 o'clock. Officials and boys of the association have been working for months to put the circus over big and the cause to which the proceeds will be devoted merits the support of the people of Victoria.

In all twenty items are on the programme, not counting the spectacular grand march and sideshows. Everything from the Siamese Twins, the Wild Man from Borneo and the midget, down to the Honolulu Lulus, will be featured. Elephants will be there from India, while Nancy, the Siberian ostrich, and Skeesiks, the South African giraffe, will also be on hand to delight the kiddies and grown-ups.

Three bands, including the Moose, Boys' Naval Brigade and Professor Trombesky's, will be in constant attendance. All kinds of original stunts, including the famous stage hold-up which went so big during the last year, will be staged.

Dates May Clash for Boxing Championships

MONTREAL, April 15.—Dr. Lamb, head of the physical training faculty of McGill, and general secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, announced today that, if the report that the Pan-American boxing championship for amateurs cannot be held until May 1 is true, the Canadian Union will be reluctantly compelled to refrain from sending a team, as the dates for the Canadian championship have been set for April 27 to 29, inclusive, and are to be held at Winnipeg.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

American League

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	5	6	1
New York	2	6	1

Batteries—Zachary and Ruel; Jones, Pennock, Frances and O'Neill, Schang.

Called at end of sixth inning; darkness.

St. Louis-Cleveland game postponed; rain.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	5	1
Philadelphia	5	16	1

Batteries—Fullerton, Buffing and Picinich; Grant and Cochrane.

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	9	9	1
Detroit	6	11	0

Batteries—Robertson, Connally and Johnson and Schalk; Whitehill, Holloway, Moore, Stoner, Johnson and Bessler.

National League

At Cincinnati—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2	6	3
Cincinnati	4	8	1

Batteries—Solhoron, Day and Gonzales; Luque and Hargrave.

Boston-New York game called at end of fourth; rain.

At Brooklyn—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	8	0
Brooklyn	6	14	4

Batteries—Ring, Betts and Henline; Erhardt and Taylor.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	8	13	0
Chicago	4	4	3

Batteries—Meadows, Morrison and Smith; Cooper, Keen, Bush, Brett and O'Farrell.

Coast

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 15.—Speed Martin, making his second start for the Senators, turned in another two-hit game and won his own game in the eighth with a home run over the left well.

	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	1	2	0
Sacramento	2	5	2

Batteries—Stryker and Baldwin; Martin and Koehler.

LOS ANGELES, April 15.—With veteran Otis Crandall pitching good ball and backed up by heavy hitting on the part of his team mates, Los Angeles added another win to its list of victories by defeating the Vernon Tigers 12 to 2 here today.

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	12	19	1
Vernon	2	9	1

Batteries—Crandall and Sandberg; Bryan and Murphy.

SALT LAKE CITY, April 15.—Salt Lake made it two straight from Portland today, winning a game featured by heavy hitting 9 to 7.

	R.	H.	E.
Portland	7	12	1
Salt Lake	9	12	0

Batteries—Eckert, Burns, Keefe, Rechac and Rowland; Singleton, O'Neill and Cook, Peters.

OAKLAND, Cal., April 15.—Roses on balls issued by Griffin proved the undoing of the Seals today and Oakland took the game of the series, 5-2.

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	2	5	2
Oakland	5	6	2

Batteries—Griffin and Yelle, Ritchie; Boehler, Foster, Pruett and Read.

CLUB STANDINGS

American

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	2	0	1.000
Cleveland	1	0	1.000
Detroit	1	1	.500
New York	1	1	.500
Chicago	1	1	.500
Washington	1	1	.500
St. Louis	0	1	.000
Boston	0	2	.000

National

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	2	0	1.000
Cincinnati	2	0	1.000
Boston	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	1	.500
Pittsburgh	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	0	2	.000
New York	0	1	.000
St. Louis	0	2	.000

Coast

Los Angeles	2	1	.889
Salt Lake	8	1	.889
Oakland	5	4	.556
Sacramento	5	4	.556
San Francisco	4	4	.500
Seattle	4	5	.444
Portland	1	8	.111
Vernon	1	8	.111

Soccer Trophy for Dominion

The new silver trophy donated by the English Football Association to the Dominion of Canada Football Association for annual competition among the association football clubs of this country.

The trophy was accepted on behalf of the Dominion Football Association in London last February by Sir George McLaren Brown, European general manager for the Canadian Pacific Railway. Dominion Football Association officials found it impossible to be in England at the time of the presentation, and Sir George was asked to act on their behalf. The cup will be displayed in the offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg, and possibly in offices farther West.

WINNIPEG, April 15.—The Connaught Cup again will be in competition this year as the emblem of the Dominion soccer championship, John Easton, president of the Dominion Football Association announced today.

Suggested substitution of the English Association trohpy for the Connaught Cup, he intimated, will not be considered until the annual meeting of the ruling body, next September.

SERGEANT MURPHY NOT IN THE MATCH

Former Grand National Winner Unable to Race Through Injuries Received in Classic

LONDON, April 15.—The famous racehorse, Sergeant Murphy, winner of the Grand National steeplechase at Liverpool in 1923, has been withdrawn because of injuries sustained in this year's Grand National, from the proposed race with two other former Grand National winners. It was announced that Sergeant Murphy cannot be put into fit condition for the steeplechase match proposed to be run at Sandown Park on a three-mile course, April 25, between him and Shaun Spadah, fourteen years old, and Music Hall, twelve years old. Sergeant Murphy is a fifteen-year-old horse.

Train Gets Lost, Wanders for Miles In English Counties

LONDON, April 15.—The erratic service of the Southern Railway has caused many strong expostulations from the press and the people of the south country during the last year, but the line made a new record last night when a train is said to have been lost. It is said that one of the Southern Railway trains, which was ostensibly taking London residents to points within fifteen miles of the city last night, took a wrong turning just after it had left the Cannon Street station, and actually wandered around Surrey and North Kent, 75 miles away.

Trainmen stoutly denied that the train was lost and declare that they knew all the time where it was going. Nevertheless, the company's officials admitted that things went a bit wrong, and they hint at trouble coming for somebody in connection with the matter.

MEMBER TELLS HOUSE OF NEW ZEALAND VISIT

House of Commons Hears of Visit to Snake Farm and f Wild Animals in the Antipodes

OTTAWA, April 15.—Strange experiences of life in the African wilds were related to the House last night by W. G. McQuarrie, of New Westminster, B. C. Mr. McQuarrie was a member of the Canadian delegation which visited South Africa last year under the auspices of the Empire Parliamentary Association.

He told of a visit to a snake farm where there were so many snakes that he saw snakes for nights afterward.

"Do they have prohibition there?" asked Mr. Robert Forke, Progressive leader.

All Drink Tea

"There is no prohibition in South Africa," Mr. McQuarrie assured the House. "They do not need it. South Africans all drink tea."

Mr. McQuarrie told of a trip by train through game countries. When the game was seen on the right of the track the engineer blew the whistle once. When game was on the left he blew the whistle twice. When interesting animals were to be seen, he stopped the train.

Sees Huge Lion

On one occasion the train stopped. About 25 yards from the train was a great black-maned lion. Mr. McQuerrie also had some humorous reflections on life among the Zulus. The Zulu paid eight to ten head of cattle for his bride and when he had three wives, retired from work.

Uplands Championship Entries Close Today

Entries for the men's championship of the Uplands Golf Club must be in the hands of the club secretary, Mr. E. D. Freeman (telephone No. 3574) not later than 5 p.m., this evening.

The qualifying round of thirty-six holes will be played on April 19, the first thirty-two to qualify for the championship match play, which will start on April 26.

Johnny Dundee and Sid Terris Matched

NEW YORK, April 15.—Johnny Dundee, former featherweight and junior lightweight champion, and Sid Terris, New York lightweight, were matched today for a twelve-round bout in Madison Square Garden on the night of May 5. Promoter Tex Rickard said this would be the last match in the old Garden and that workmen would begin razing the structure on May 6.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, April 15.—League football games played today resulted as follows:

English League
First Division

Cardiff 3, Blackburn Rovers 0.

Scottish League
First Division

Kilmarnock 2, Celtic 1.
Dundee 0, St. Mirren 2.

COLONIST NIGHT OWLS CINCH CHAMPIONSHIP

Bowling Leagues Holding Banquet and Dance on April 24 to Wind Up Season

The Colonist Night Owls cinched the Commercial Bowling League championship by taking one game from Fairall's, and finished one game ahead of the Wilcox Hat A team.

The two leagues are holding a joint banquet and dance in the Chamber of Commerce on Friday, April 24, when the City League Championship Cup will be handed to the Colonist team, and cups and medals will be given to the winners of each league, the Colonist for the City and Colonist Night Owls for the Commercial League.

CITY BASKETBALL FINALS TONIGHT

KNOCKOUT SERIES ENDS IN BOTH DIVISIONS

B.C. Telephone Ladies' Team Will Play the C.P.R.—Falcons Swoop on the Bluebirds

Finals of the city and district knockout basketball competitions will be decided tonight, the two games being as follows:

At 8 o'clock, B. C. Telephone vs. C.P.R. (ladies).

At 8:45, Falcons vs. Bluebirds.

Followers of the hoop game who make their way to the Willows tonight will be treated to two fine games. Tommy de Macedo, manager of the C.P.R. team, reports his players in first class shape for their encounter with the famous B. C. Telephone quintette, with the title at stake. The C.P.R. girls lost out to Fidelis team in the Y.M.C.A. tournament, and as the Telephones have several of the church team's star players they are anxious to get their own back. They have always put up a fine game on the Willows floor, so no doubt a fine game will take place. They will, however, have to be going their best to hold the "hello" girls, who are a well-balanced team.

In the men's division of the knockout tournament the Bluebirds will clash with the Falcons and a really fast game is looked for. The Bluebirds have a number of snappy players on their line-up and if they can hit their old stride they will be a hard team to beat. A few years ago this game team was known as the Crusaders, who won a number of championships. After the breaking up of the church team the players continued in a body under the name of Bryant's Bluebirds, and up until this year they made a fine showing.

They entered the City League at the beginning of this season, but unfortunately were obliged to drop out after playing their first game on account of a number of their players leaving town. The boys are, however, all back now, and after a number of stiff practices report all to be in fine shape for the big game tonight.

International Boxing Tournament Postponed

BOSTON, April 15.—The international amateur boxing tournament to determine the championships of the western hemisphere between contenders of the United States, Canada and South America, was scheduled to begin here on April 22, but has been postponed until May 1, Chairman Cuddy, of the Boxing Committee of the Amateur Athletic Union, announced at tonight's national competitions.

HARTFORD HANDICAP

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md., April 15.—The Hartford Handicap, $5,000 added, for three-year-olds and up, at six furlongs here today, was won by Noap; Leopardesi was second and Princess Doreen third. Singlefoot, the second choice in the overnight betting, was scratched. Leopardesi was an odded starter. Time, 1:12 2-5.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the British Columbia golf championship tournament have probably done wisely in making the handicap qualification lower next year—that is if the rule is lived up to.

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If the rule is that no golfer of a higher handicap than sixteen may enter, it is NOT playing the game for an eighteen or twenty hapdicap man to get his handicap shaved for the occasion and allowed to grow again after.

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Apart from cluttering up the course on medal day it is hardly fair to the real eighteen handicap man who plays the game, sticks to the rule and stays out.

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Because, of course, it is a great temptation to any second-rate golfer to get four good days of golf on the best course in the Northwest for the price of an entrance fee.

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It is a great pity though that from the nature of the game it appears to be impossible to allow all who wish to do so to enter for an annual provincial tournament without any limitation of handicap.

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Would an annual Golfing Festival so to speak, lasting even as long as a week or more, with competitions for golfers of different grades, be an impossibility?

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In the provincial tennis tournament, so far as the Old 'Un is aware, the more numerous the entries the better everybody is pleased, and the institution of the "seeded draw" prevents the competition lacking in interest for the spectator at any stage.

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Speaking of tennis and tournaments, all good tennis folk of the city and many of more distant parts will be sorry that MR. J. G. BROWN has been forced through business calls to resign from the secretaryship of the VICTORIA LAWN TENNIS CLUB.

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"J. G." made a fine tournament secretary, and no matter how large the entry or how difficult the task of arranging all the matches, always came up smiling and good natured.

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His invariable courtesy to the gentlemen of the Fourth Estate was always much appreciated, and we hope his new appointment will not cause him to work TOO hard or neglect his tennis.

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The very fine Spring weather we have had since March went out like a lamb has given a good deal of joy to the fishermen, and good catches have been reported from a variety of the well-known waters frequented by Victoria anglers.

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Not only have the trout been behaving themselves well according to the standards of the fly fishermen, but those who care for trolling in salt water have been able to make some nice catches of grilse in SAANICH ARM and elsewhere.

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There's a fine run of "bluebacks" on just at present, nice fish of three pounds and upwards, and they give rare sport on light tackle.

SERVICES DAMPEN CHANCES OF BAYS

SCORE 4-3 WIN IN HAYWARD CUP SOCCER YESTERDAY

Will Create a Three-Cornered Tie Should They Be Able to Defeat Teamsters Next Wednesday

The United Services somewhat dampened the chances of the Hudson's Bay eleven of winning the Hayward Cup series yesterday afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park, when they trotted out one of their strongest teams of the year and handed the departmentals a 4 to 3 trimming. The game was one of the stiffest contests staged so far in the series, and the handful of spectators who were present were treated to a fair brand of soccer.

Their win yesterday gave the Services their second victory of the season in mid-week soccer, and, if they are successful in winning from the Teamsters next Wednesday, they will create a three-cornered tie, which will mean at least two extra games.

In the first fifteen minutes of play it looked as if the Services were going to be winners by a large score, for they rushed in two counters in that time. The Bays, however, seemed to get going better after the second goal and added one about ten minutes after and evened the score on a penalty kick with about two minutes of play left.

In the second half the Services added two more, bringing the score to 4-2 in their favor. A penalty kick awarded to the Bays about half-way through the period gave them a chance to add another, but Soutter made a brilliant save and cleared the ball. With only ten minutes left, Addie put the finishing touches on the scoring column, when he booted in a fast shot from the right wing.

Gleave Opens Scoring

Gleave opened the scoring about seven minutes after play, when he took the ball from centre, outwitted the Bays' defence, and found the net with a well-placed shot. About five minutes after Freddie Buxton, pivot man for the Services, scored after a neat play when he ran the ball through the Bays' defence. From the face-off the department store representatives took the play into the Services territory and during a scrimmage were awarded a penalty, which was scored by Stewart. A few minutes after, on a beautiful corner kick by Stewart, Cull headed the pigskin past Soutter for the tieing goal.

The Bays commenced an attack in an effort to break the tie, from the start of the second half, and for some time gave Soutter and the Service backs plenty of work. They were right there, however, and cleared the ball on every occasion. During a combined forward rush on the part of the United Services, Henry put his team one in the lead, when he beat Shrimpton with a close-in shot. About two minutes after, Buxton put the Services two up when he headed in Henry's perfect centre.

Play after the face-off was mostly in centre field, with an occasional breakaway by both teams.

The Bays missed a good chance to score when they were awarded a penalty kick after Tooble had been fouled by Kennedy. McKay's kick, however, was sent along the ground and Soutter scooped the ball up like one of the big leaguers for a brilliant save. Several times the Bays looked dangerous, but their only goal in this period was scored when Addie put in a splendid shot from right wing, which crossed the goal-mouth into the net.

For the winners, Soutter, Kennedy, Gleave, Buxton and Bryson were good, while Gardiner, Haggen, McKay, Addie and Stewart were the pick of the losers. Ralph Alcock refereed, and the teams were as follows:

Hudson's Bay—Shrimpton, Kroeger, Gardiner, Haggen, McKay, Woodley, Addie, Stewart, Cull, Denholme and Tooble.

United Services—Soutter, Morrison, Kennedy, Mitchell, Obee, Gleave, Kemp, Leeds, Buxton, Bryson and Henry.

FILM STARS THRILL CROWD AT VANCOUVER

First National Co. Shoots Rapids in Seymour Canyon—Alaska Scenes Taken in British Columbia

NORTH VANCOUVER, April 15.—Hundreds of movie fans lined the rocky cliffs walling Seymour Canyon here today, to watch Frank Lloyd, famous motion picture producer-director, re-enact for the benefit of his picture, "Winds of Chance," thrilling scenes of White Horse Rapids during Alaskan gold rush days.

The scenes today were the first of a series of thrills to be displayed for the benefit of the camera in the gorge, and Vancouver folk were able to get an intimate glimpse of real melodrama in the making.

Victor McLaglen, athletic British film star, playing Poison, Rex Beache's favorite hero, guided a huge raft laden with provisions and a human cargo, including Viola Danna, Hobart Bosworth, Ben Lyon, John T. Murray, J. Gunnis Davis and Fred Warren down the white water, bounding and careering around the sharp rocks directly toward the cameras, established on huge rocks in mid-stream. His adeptness brought forth many a cheer from the onlookers.

Following the completion of scenes in Seymour Canyon, Mr. Lloyd and his troupe will go to Hope, B.C., and thence to Wallowa Lake, Oregon, before returning to Hollywood to complete the big $600,000 production, which will be one of the foremos. First National pictures next Fall.

Explorer Dies

OTTAWA, April 15.—James McArthur, former assistant international boundary commissioner, explorer and scholar, died at his home here last night, aged 68. Born in Aylmer, Que., he entered the civil service in 1881 and was engaged in survey work in the Northwest Territories.

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Artist Commissioned to Paint Butchart's Gardens

Mr. Leonard Richmond, of London, England, Well-Known Member of Various British Art Societies, Here Yesterday, Was Sent by C.P.R. to Get Picture of One of Noted Beauty Spots of Island—Expects to Return on Second Tour of Canada This Year

Commissioned by the Canadian Pacific Railway to paint a picture of the beautiful gardens at "Benvenuto," the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart, Mr. Leonard Richmond, a well-known English artist, was a visitor in the city yesterday. Arriving on the morning boat from Vancouver he sailed again in the afternoon.

It had been hoped by many art students and others that perhaps Mr. Richmond might give a public lecture here, as he has been doing right across Canada, but it was found impossible to make any arrangements for this on the occasion of his short stay. It is more than probable, however, that he will be making a second visit to Canada in the course of the year, and in that event it is almost certain that he will speak here. Yesterday he lunched at the Union Club with Mr. F. B. Pemberton, president of the Island Arts and Crafts Society, and Mr. Sam Maclure, a member of the organization and one of the best known architects and artists of the city, both of whom are very anxious that Victoria should have an opportunity of hearing an artist of such outstanding achievement on some phase of the subject in which he is so well versed.

Mr. Richmond has been greatly pleased with his tour across the Dominion and the interest which has been taken in his lectures. In carrying through certain commissions for the C.P.R. he is benefiting from the excellent advertisement of his work for the Canadian Government during 1918, when he was sent to the war zone in France to make notes and sketches for a picture entitled "Canadian Soldiers Constructing Railways at the Front."

A member of the Royal Society of British Artists, of the Royal Institute of Oil Painters and of the Pastel Society, he is particularly expert with the last-mentioned medium and is, perhaps, best known from the fine pictures which he has done in chalks.

TO SEEK TEST OF EXCURSION ACT

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE MAY APPEAL TO SUPREME COURT

Manitoba Act Nullifies Dominion Statute, Dr. Rochester Declares—Denounces Vancouver Papers

The Lord's Day Alliance will probably take before the Supreme Court of Canada the recent decision of the Manitoba Court of Appeal, which enabled the Manitoba Legislature to pass the Sunday Excursion Act, legalizing train excursions on the Sabbath in despite of the provisions of the Lord's Day Act.

This probability was indicated at the annual meeting of the Victoria branch of the Lord's Day Alliance at the Metropolitan Church last night by the Rev. Dr. W. M. Rochester, general secretary of the Alliance for Canada.

When an attempt was made to stop Sunday train excursions at Winnipeg in 1923, in accordance with the terms of the Lord's Day Act, a bill was introduced into the Manitoba Legislature to legalize them. Opponents of the measure contended that the Provincial Legislature had no power to enact a law setting aside a clause in a Dominion statute. The question was brought before the Court of Appeal for decision. That court decided that the proposed measure was not ultra vires of the Provincial Legislature, and, as part of its decision, ruled that common law governed Sabbath observance in Manitoba.

The decision was subsequently upheld by the Privy Council.

"And so," said Dr. Rochester, "the Lord's Day Act has been taken out of Manitoba, leaving only the common law."

Wide Open

Subsequent to that decision there had been no official recognition of the Lord's Day Act in Manitoba, Dr. Rochester declared. The door had been wide open. Theatre men had been the first to enter, but they had forgotten that a clause of the Theatres Act made Sunday operation of theatres illegal.

"We got that clause into that act thirteen years ago," Dr. Rochester declared.

The decision of the Manitoba Court of Appeal meant that any province in Canada could pass a law nullifying clauses of the Lord's Day Act, Dr. Rochester pointed out, observing that the Lord's Day Alliance would probably submit that decision to the Supreme Court of Canada.

Editors Lie

The Alliance had been the victim of much misrepresentation in connection with this case, Dr. Rochester declared. Newspaper editors deliberately obscured the issue. They had lied in speaking of "Sunday trains" and not "Sunday excursions."

The purpose of the Sabbath was to lift people's hearts and minds to God, to take them away from things seen and transient to dwell on things unseen and eternal. That being so, the Alliance wished to keep the Sabbath free from encroachment of business.

"We don't want the desecrating influence of the pursuit of pleasure either," he said. "We want to keep it a rest day—not just a holiday, but a holy day.

"The Lord's Day Alliance is the champion of the people's right to liberty on their weekly rest day."

Persuasion Not Force

The aim of the Alliance was not to end infractions of the Lord's Day Act through threats of law enforcement, but through persuasion and the cultivation of the public mind to a true appreciation of the spirit and intent of the law. Voluntary observance of the law would then follow as an inevitable aftermath.

The Rev. Dr. C. H. Huestis, western secretary for the Alliance, said that he had recently asked the chief of police of Vancouver why infractions of the law were permitted there.

"He said," Dr. Huestis declared, "There is only one answer and that is—the people want it."

He had predicted again and again to Mayors and City Councils, Dr. Huestis declared, that if Sunday band concerts in theatres were permitted, with those in charge taking collections to avoid breaking the law, the concerts would ultimately be commercialized. This had happened. Tickets had been printed and sold. When the case came before a Vancouver court and the offenders had been punished, not one Vancouver paper had commented on the decision. The editors had been conscious of the great volume of public opinion in support of the court's decision, Dr. Huestis declared.

Pressure on Newsboys

When Vancouver newsboys had been told that they must deliver papers on Sunday a large number of them had resigned rather than do so. The Vancouver newspapers were putting pressure on the consciences of 800 newsboys by forcing them to distribute Sunday papers in contravention of the law and in defiance of the precepts they had been taught in their Sunday Schools.

Officers of the local branch of the Alliance were elected for the forthcoming year as follows: Rev. R. W. P. Freeman, president; Rev. R. G. Howell, secretary, and Rev. Dr. W. Russell, treasurer. The executive will be named by the different congregations of the city.

The meeting last night authorized the allocation of $1,000 of the local funds for the use of the Dominion organization, leaving the question of how the money is to be subscribed for the executive to decide. Vancouver will be asked to provide $3,000, the meeting was told. In all, the Dominion organization asks $5,000 as British Columbia's contribution.

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AGE OF FISH TOLD BY RINGS ON SCALES

Each Year Adds Series of Half Circles in Case of Trout and Salmon Species

SEATTLE, April 15.—Salmon and trout, like rattlesnakes, have a way of telling their age, according to John N. Cobb, director of the College of Fisheries of the University of Washington.

"Every year adds a series of half-circles to the scales of trout and salmon," said Dean Cobb. "Each series is distinguishable from the preceding ones by a line. The lines are similar to those of a cross-section of a tree, and the method of telling the age of fish is like that used by woodmen to ascertain ages of trees.

"Salmon reveal the amount of food consumed each season. When salmon have a good year with plenty to eat the lines are wider than in lean years."

Experiments are being conducted by Dean Cobb in telling the age of other species of fish.

HOME-GROWN TOBACCO GROWS IN POPULARITY

Fifteen Million Pounds Used in Factories of Dominion and Export Demand Large

MONTREAL, April 15.—Tobacco growers of Canada produced a crop of 18,710,740 pounds in 1924. Ontario planters had 13,275 acres in tobacco, producing 12,135,000 pounds and Quebec growers had 8,044 acres in crop, which yielded 6,575,740 pounds, according to a report issued by the Federal Department of Agriculture.

Of the total production, the report estimates that 15,000,000 pounds was shipped to Canadian cigar and tobacco factories for manufacture for domestic use. Exports of unmanufactured tobacco amounted to 2,820,216 pounds.

While the areas of Canada suited to tobacco culture are limited, the report shows they are capable of being expanded beyond the present acreage.

A DOUBLE SOMERSAULT

"Already," ridden by Jockey Poole, took a bad spill in the Tallyho Hunters' Chase at Sandown, England, recently. This unusual photograph shows the jockey with his foot on the horse's neck about to spring clear of the falling animal. From the expression on his face, the rider was not very much concerned about what the result of this tumble would be.

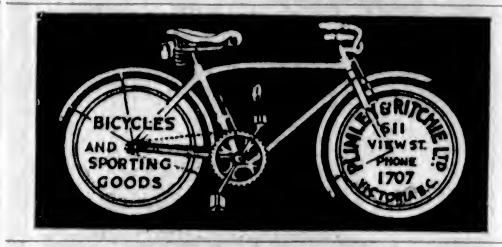
PRESIDENT'S FUNERAL COSTS TEUTON LITTLE

Expenses of Burying Late Friedrich Ebert Amount Only to Paltry Fifty Thousand Dollars

LONDON, April 16.—Press comments on the funeral costs of Germany's first President, Friedrich Ebert, which amounted to approximately $50,000, have recalled the fact that England's most expensive funeral was that of the Duke of Wellington, which cost the nation $500,000.

According to the estimates in London the expense of President Ebert's burial was very moderate compared with the cost of the obsequies for old Emperor William in 1888, when the City of Berlin spent $420,000 and the imperial treasury more than $550,000 in addition. The funeral expenses of King Edward were about $250,000, and those of Queen Victoria $175,000.

The deepest hole in the Atlantic is off Porto Rico, and goes down 27,965 fe



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BRITISH CONCERN HAS BIG CANADIAN SCHEME

Will Purchase 250,000 Acres of Land in Alberta and Divide It in Settlement Holdings

LONDON, April 16.—The prospectus of the British Dominions' Land Settlement Corporation, recently circulated here, provides for an issue of £750,000 7 per cent bonds. The initial operation of the corporation, of which the Duke of Sutherland is chairman, is the purchase of more than 250,000 acres in the Edmonton district, divided into 160-acre holdings.

The land was purchased from the Canada Land Company and was originally owned by the Canadian Pacific Railway. A. M. Brown, of Medicine Hat, former president of the Canadian Colonisation Association, is the Canadian chairman of the corporation.

Assistance for Immigrants

Large groups of immigrants will be sent out from the British Isles. They will be given financial assistance with which to establish their new homes and the money will be repaid to the corporation in small yearly instalments.

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Died as Result of Burns

CALGARY, April 15.—When a gasoline iron exploded at the farmhouse of Robert Biggar, of Namaka, Alta., Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Biggar was so badly burned that she died five hours later. She managed to save her baby.

Crop Statistics

OTTAWA, April 15.—Of the total estimated wheat crop of 1924, totalling 262,087,000 bushels, 95 per cent, or 250,094,000 bushels, is reported by crop correspondents as having proved to be of merchantable quality. The previous year's corresponding figures, according to a report issued today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, were 96 per cent, or 454,804,000 bushels, out of 474,159,000 bushels.

At the Playhouses

SHOOT-'EM-UP DRAMA SHOWS AT COLUMBIA

Pretty Bride-to-Be Abducted as Wedding Bells Begin Ringing—New Thrills Introduced

Admittedly, brides have many troubles, but none ever had more than Mildred June experiences in the new William Fox production, "Troubles of a Bride," which opens today at the Columbia Theatre for a three-day run. Thomas Buckingham, the demon film creator, who directed "The Arizona Express" and "The Cyclone Rider," saw to this and saw to it thoroughly.

If you lead a placid life; if your blood pressure is low; if you crave a little excitement—and who doesn't?—go to see what happened to Miss June, who tried to get married a la cinema to Robert Agnew.

Of all the shoot-'em-up melodramas, the kind every one of us revel in now and again, this picture takes the indigestible pastry, if advance information is correct. Preview reports of hardened reviewers proclaim it a master stroke of melodrama.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Humor fast and furious, reigns at the Playhouse this week, both stage and screen attractions running entirely to comedy. Frank Morton and his company in "Jiggs and Maggie in Society", present the famous cartoon comedy in a manner that would reflect credit on many road productions. Dave Dumbleton has been added to the Morton cast, appearing in the current bill as the "Chicago Slugger." The entire company is well cast, with Roy Earl as the prospective son-in-law, Hilda Cooke as the daughter, Mr. Morton as Jiggs and Gladys Vaughan doing some of the best work of her career as Maggie. Solos, ensemble numbers and musical specialties round out the bill. "The Girl in the Limousine," a rattling good screen comedy, features Larry Semon.

COLISEUM THEATRE John Steppling, who is appearing in "A Cafe in Cairo," Priscilla Dean's current Hunt Stromberg production, now playing at the Coliseum Theatre, will be recalled by early film fans as the "Billy McGrath" of the popular comedy series of that general title filmed by Essaney a number of years ago.

DOMINION THEATRE One of the stock companies playing "Charley's Aunt," which has now been bought to the screen by the Christies and will be shown at the Dominion Theatre all week, found it expedient to include, in their troupe, a practical nurse who was equipped with a first aid kit to meet emergencies. During their tours a great many women patrons had been carried from the theatre hysterical, and the company find sometimes found it difficult to get the necessary aid, especially in the small towns.

CAPITOL THEATRE When Ronald Colman completed his role in "A Thief in Paradise," now being shown at the Capitol Theatre, he claims he qualified as a past master of movie thrills. Among his scenes here were: A hand-to-hand battle with another man at the bottom of the Pacific Ocean for possession of a priceless pearl. Rescued Doris Kenyon, after a break-neck chase, from a wild horse during a polo match. Drove a speedy roadster over a wild mountain road at sixty miles an hour in the black of midnight. Eloped in an aeroplane with Doris Kenyon. Took a terrific horsewhipping from Claude Gillingwater, as the irate father of his bride. "A Thief in Paradise" is Colman's fifth screen appearance. Aileen Pringle is co-featured with the young English actor and Miss Doris Kenyon in this Goldwyn-Fitzmaurice-First National picture.

ROYAL THEATRE The King and Queen recently spent their first evening in a picture palace. For several years past the royal family has interested itself in the movies, and command performances have been given at Balmoral and elsewhere in private rooms specially fitted up for the occasion with a real screen, a portable projector and an orchestra composed of a piano and a few strings. The Prince of Wales has sponsored the British cinema as patron, star and spectator in one. The King and Queen have played their parts in a hundred capitals. A film reproduction of the attack on "Zeebrugge," now showing at the Royal Theatre, made with great care and vigor by a British company and fully approved by the Admiralty, was the core of the entertainment, and there followed an animated cartoon of Bonzo, the study dog, and a number of scenes of the arrival of the King and Queen at the theatre just one hour and thirty minutes earlier.

WILLIAM FOX MAKES PHOTOPLAY OF GREAT ENGLISH BEST SELLER

The diligence and acumen with which William Fox searches to procure high-class material for his screen productions could not be better exemplified than by the announcement of the Capitol Theatre that it has booked for a six-day run, beginning Monday, "Gerald Cranston's Lady," an adaptation from the current season's popular best seller of the same name, by Gilbert Frankau, the celebrated English novelist.

James Kirkwood plays the part of Gerald Cranston, self-made money king who marries for social prestige, in the screen version of Frankau's noted story.

The story of "Gerald Cranston's Lady" deals with a master of finance who "buys" a titled wife for the business prestige he will gain from his position in society. When the wheels of fate crush him and his fortune, he finds love—a thing he once believed only fit for fools. Tex Howard and his band will also play at the Capitol Theatre in conjunction with the feature attraction.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"A Thief in Paradise," starring Doris Kenyon.
Columbia—Mildred June in "Troubles of a Bride."
Dominion — "Charley's Aunt," starring Syd Chaplin.
Royal—"Zeebrugge."

The Stage

Coliseum—"Robin Hood."
Playhouse—"Jiggs and Maggie in Society."

NEW MINSTREL TROUPE

On Tuesday evening at the Foresters' Hall, Broad Street, Lodge Pride of the Island, S.O.E.B.S., staged one of its popular "stunt nights."

The secret had been well kept, even up to the moment the curtain was drawn, and the 350 members and friends found themselves faced by a minstrel troupe, which proceeded to produce a performance which may be stamped as one of the best seen in the city for a long time.

Bros. Frank Tupman (Boss), Ernie Impet, Teddy Blair (corner men); Andy Jones, Buster Brown, Ted Stanley, Ben Jacklin, Art Southall and Sam Hill, with Cyril Foster at the keyboard, comprise a troupe which will receive demands for a repeat performance at a very early date.

The evening closed with refreshments and dancing.

Demand Prosecution

NELSON, April 15.—Prosecution of the alleged fruit combine has been demanded by the Boswell Fruit Growers and the Boswell Farmers' Institute, in resolutions addressed to both the Dominion and Provincial Governments.

DISARMAMENT DEBATE ATTRACTS INTEREST

Teams From B.C. Dramatic School and Civil Service Debating Club Argued Subject Last Night

Judges at a debate held at the Parliament Buildings last evening decided in favor of the negative argument on the resolution "That Universal Disarmament Is Advisable."

The debate, which attracted a big audience, was between teams representing the B.C. Dramatic School, which spoke in favor of the resolution, and the Civil Service Literary and Debating Club, which took the negative. The former team was represented by Capt. Hugh Allan, Mr. H. G. Hinton, Mr. R. G. Miller and Mr. V. R. Carver; the latter by Mr. W. H. Stokes, Mr. J. Hosie, Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn and Mr. W. Turnbull.

Mr. Boulton was in the chair, and the judges were Capt. Thorpe-Doubble, R.N.; Mr. Straith and Mr. P. deN. Walker. Capt. Thorpe-Doubble, on behalf of the judges, explained their reasons for the decision they had made, which was in favor of the negative, as being mainly due to the leader of the affirmative side advocating the substitution of economic pressure for the present expensive armaments. This point had already been objected to by a member of the negative side, but had been ruled "in order" by the chairman.

At the end of a most interesting discussion tea was served by Miss Holmes and ladies of the Civil Service Club.

Still Negotiating the Australian Agreement

OTTAWA, April 15.—The Canadian-Australian trade agreement is still under negotiation, Hon. J. A. Robb, acting Minister of Finance, informed Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen in the House this afternoon. Mr. Robb said that no agreement had yet been signed and that he had nothing to add to his previous announcement on the subject of the Australian preference.

Succumbs to Injuries

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Charles Steeves, aged 65, died this morning as a result of injuries received in an automobile accident here on April 4. F. W. Clark, of New Westminster, was the driver of the car. No charge has been laid by the police against Clark pending an inquest.

Victoria's Tourist Motor Camp Plans for Big Year

Increase in Traffic Since Last Year—Official Opening Will Take Place in May—Beautiful View Obtained From Curtis Point—All Conveniences Make Place One of City's Most Attractive Features—Sandy Beach and Lawns Make Ideal Playground for Children

Between the Gorge and the Gorge Road and spreading over about six acres of ground on Curtis Point and adjoining the City Park is situated the Victoria Automobile Camp for Tourists, one of the greatest publicity schemes for the city, its object being exclusively to accommodate tourists.

The idea of the camp was formed by the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce, and after the matter had been taken up by the City Council, three trustees and a secretary were appointed, namely: Mr. Frank Waring (charman), Mr. H. P. Johnson, Mr. Walter Club and Mr. H. T. Palmer (secretary).

The property has been taken on a five years' lease with the option of buying it at the end of that time for $25,000, and the lease has three more years to run.

Increase in Traffic

The nominal charge of fifty cents per car per day, regardless of the number of people in each car, not only covers expenses but nets a profit which is paid to the city.

Statistics for last year show beyond doubt the success of the undertaking. The traffic increase since 1923 is fifty-three per cent, which in turn showed an increase of 138 per cent over 1922.

Last year 2,324 cars, carrying 7,453 people, were accommodated.

The camp will be officially opened on May 1, but is open for the use of tourists throughout the year, under the supervision of Mr. Hadley, the caretaker, who lives on the premises.

Beautiful View

A more ideal site could not have been chosen, for the view from Curtis Point is as delightful as one could hope to find, showing the water slipping beneath the Gorge Bridge backwards and forwards with the rising and falling of the tide, and beyond the bridge the blueness of mountains rising above the green of the two banks.

The grounds are entered by a drive which loops around a large bed of flowers and trees and is bordered with greenery and mounted by an arch with the sign of the Victoria Auto Camp on one side and on the reverse the words "Come Again."

Beside a rustic tea room in which the first fire bell of Victoria is to be hung as a curiosity, there is another tea house overhanging the water, a pavilion and two out-of-door rest rooms, one of which is fitted with a telephone.

The second and larger room is of lattice work covered with ivy and honeysuckle.

Community Kitchens

A hundred tables with attached seats, besides two large community tables, are supplied, the latter being situated near the two large and complete community kitchens, both of which are provided with cooking ranges, eighty-gallon hot water tanks and four washing sinks, as well as the two kitchen sinks, hot and cold water, shelving and electric lighting.

One of the most attractive features of the place is the bathing house, which has dressing rooms with numerous washing basins, as well as showers and baths, and leads down to a float.

The grounds are well drained, having grease taps and septic tanks, and water faucets about every fifty yards.

Mrs. Hadley will this year have control of the emergency store, and has already made many improvements, making the place most attractive.

There are lawns where the cars are not allowed to park and where the children may enjoy themselves to their hearts' content, and a tennis court to provide amusement for their elders, while the beach has been properly sanded since last Summer.

Besides the hundred odd fruit trees there are many beautiful imported trees of various kinds, including specimens of the silver spruce, a Japanese Prunis, which later in the season will be a mass of gleaming crimson bloom, and a Wellingtonian Sequah, a rare tree of conical shape.

Among the improvements to be made this year will be four new cooking ranges of brick with steel plate tops to be placed in the grounds.

Camp Is Appreciated

Here are some of the remarks picked at random from the camp register: "Under three flags during last few months and this is loveliest camp of all." "Paradise is a better name for Victoria's Auto camp." "Buying home here." "With pleasant memories of Victoria and its people." "Sorry to leave." "We will boost you"—and endless others.

It is believed that in view of all the praise it has received the fame of the Victoria Auto Camp has spread even farther afield and that Victoria will have the pleasure of seeing another increase in the tourist traffic this Summer.

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Tickets can be obtained from Times and Colonist Offices

VICTORIA COMPARES FAVORABLY ON FIGURES

While there were between 6,000 and 6,500 people at the third Easter sunrise service at Mount Tolmie on Sunday, at Mount Davidson, near San Francisco, with probably a million people accessible round the Bay cities, the total attendance was only 6,500. Incidentally it was the third service of the kind held there.

Conditions of transportation were similar to those at Victoria, special trolley cars, automobiles and on foot.

The only important difference in the arrangements was that while the Mount Tolmie service began at seven o'clock, that at Mount Davidson was actually just after sunrise, beginning about 5:40 o'clock.

Will Have Exhibition

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Asked if there was any probability of the Vancouver exhibition being cancelled altogether this year, W. C. Brown, president, declared today there was absolutely no doubt but that an exhibition would be held.

After all else failed, Kellogg's ALL-BRAN brought sure relief from constipation

Thousands have cleansed their systems of constipation's poisons.

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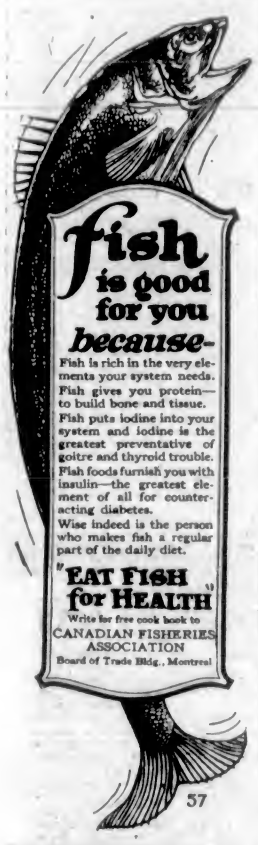

TIRED OUT ALL THE TIME

Nerves Gave Little Rest

Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Harrowsmith, Ont.—"I took your medicine before my baby was born and it was a great help to me as I was very poorly until I started to take it. I just felt as though I was tired out all the time and would take weak fainting spells. My nerves would bother me until I could get little rest, day or night. I was told by a friend to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I only took a few bottles and it helped me wonderfully. I would recommend it to any woman. I am doing what I can to publish this good medicine. I lend that little book you sent me to any one I can help. You can with the greatest of pleasure use my name in regard to the Vegetable Compound if it will serve to help others." — MRS. HARVEY MILLIGAN, R. R. No. 2, Harrowsmith, Ontario.

In a recent canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over 100,000 replies were received and 98 out of every 100 said they had been helped by its use. This medicine is for sale by all druggists.

Manitoba to Try Out Beet Sugar Growing

WINNIPEG, April 15. — One hundred plots within seventy-five miles of Winnipeg are to be planted this Summer with seed of sugar beets grown in Germany. The Manitoba Sugar Beet Company is distributing the seed among chosen gardeners and farmers, to insure a trial under the best conditions. The beets are to be tested later to determine the quality and suitability of Manitoba-grown beets for sugar manufacture. Machinery costing $1,300,000 is to be ordered, if tests are satisfactory, to care for beets raised on 12,000 acr

Vancouver Island

SOLICITOR SAYS COUNCIL HAS WON

DUNCAN LEARNS OF EFFECT OF WATERWORKS SUIT

Power Project Is to Be Subject of Report—Will Enforce Wednesday Closing Shortly

DUNCAN, April 15.—A generous programme of street improvements for Duncan was approved by the City Council last night, when the streets committee's report was accepted. This recommended the re-treating with tarvia of those streets tarviated last year, and the extension of this class of paving to some of the residential streets. An expenditure of $1,500 on this work was authorized.

Later in the evening an offer from the Government roads engineer was laid before the Council, offering to tarviate Trunk Road, from the railway to Campbell's Corner, dividing the cost on a fifty-fifty basis between the city and Province. The offer was accepted, but the Government will be asked to continue the paving of this road to the city's east boundary, about double the distance mentioned in the engineer's proposal. The Government is also asked similarly to pave the Island Highway through the town. This being a primary highway, the Province would pay 75 per cent of the cost.

Station Street Paving

The Government will also be asked to pave with concrete the balance of Station Street, and redeem a promise made to the city two years ago.

Mr. C. F. Davie submitted a report covering the decision in the city's recent waterworks litigation. The report says: "The settlement is in every way most satisfactory, and the city has emerged from the litigation having virtually accomplished the very object in respect of which it sought relief, when it refused to pay the plaintiff any balance of money." The balance due to the plaintiff is $4,940, a net saving to the city of $5,125.70. The report says: "The plaintiff gets barely the amount that Mr. H. C. Mann, the city engineer, was prepared to allow him, and, what is of considerable importance, must pay the full costs of the appeal." The city pays the cost of the original trial. The popular opinion that the city had lost out through this court action is, according to the solicitor, entirely wrong.

Mayor Mutter thought the result highly satisfactory. He had favored the appeal being taken, and the result had fully justified the action.

Power Question

The Council is awaiting the offer from the B.C. Electric Company, which is promised for the end of May, to supply electric power in bulk to the city. It became known when the report of the electric committee was presented. The company is very hopeful of being able to extend its lines up the Island, but some time is required to make a thorough survey of its reserve power at Jordan River. An Up-Island extension of the lines would make the harnessing of their reserve power there inevitable in a very few years.

Wednesday Closing

The weekly half-holiday by-law was put through its final stage. This will come into force on May 1, and changes the half-holiday from Thursday to Wednesday, in accordance with a plebiscite taken last January. The legality of the vote taken at that time has been seriously questioned by opponents to the change.

Before putting the question for the by-law's final adoption, Mayor Mutter warned his Council that further litigation would certainly follow any attempt to enforce the by-law. The Mayor said that a prominent citizen had informed him that he would disregard the by-law utterly, and would fight the case to the last court of appeal if necessary. He was fully satisfied that this citizen meant all he said.

Alderman Whittington said no citizen could bulldoze him.

Alderman Campbell said he knew the citizen referred to by the Mayor.

He described him as a good poker player, but thought the Council should call his bluff this time. No opposition to the vote was recorded when taken.

The Government will be notified that the Council approves of the plan to hold municipal elections in December in future.

The building inspector reported twelve permits taken out for the first quarter of the year. These totalled $18,800.

RURAL NURSING ACTIVITY

METCHOSIN, April 15.—Following is the report of the nurse in charge to the Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service for the month of March: Five schools visited, forty home-school visits, eight health talks given, two pre-natal visits, eighteen social service visits, five child welfare visits, eighteen home visits; one patient transported to Victoria, five Health Club meetings attended; thirty-three Metropolitan adult visits, eight baby visits, seventeen paid nursing visits, seven children taken to dentist in Victoria. The work shows steady progress throughout the district, and the finances of the Association are in a sound condition.

BRENTWOOD PERSONALS

BRENTWOOD, April 15. — Mrs. William J. Dignan, of Kruger Mountain, B.C., with her two daughters, Billie and Jo, is visiting her father, Mr. Frank Verdier, and Mrs. Verdier, West Road.

The meeting of the West Saanich Women's Institute, which was to have been held on Tuesday afternoon last, will be held on Friday at 2:30 p.m.

The Catholic card party, held in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Tuesday was an outstanding success. Sixty tables were engaged in play and the galleries were will filled with spectators. The hall was beautifully decorated with cedar boughs, Japanese lanterns and sunshades. Visitors were present from Victoria and all parts of the peninsula.

The sketch put on by Mr. Rochon was well received. Those taking part were: Miss Hazel Fletcher, as "lady of the house"; Miss Edna Butler, "Mammy"; Miss Flossie Woodward, "Chinese soldier"; Mrs. A. Petch, "doll"; Mr. Petch, "John, wash Chinaman"; A. Rochon, "houseboy," and Sylvia Petch, "little girl." The ice cream stall was in charge of Mrs. A. Lacourslere and Mrs. Schwartz. Councillor Hagen made a most efficient M.C.

The prize winners at cards were: First, Mr. and Mrs. Couture, Mrs. Frank Verdier and Mr. Argyle; second, Mr. and Mrs. McLean, Mrs. Lorenzen and Mr. Neville; third, Mr. and Mrs. Hydes, Mr. and Mrs. Hall; fourth, Mr. and Mrs. George Sluggett, Mrs. R. J. Porter and Mrs. R. J. Parsell; special prizes, Mr. Doherty and Mr. Holmwood.

East Sooke Farmers' Institute

EAST SOOKE, April 15.—A concert, followed by a dance, will be given by the Institute, in aid of the "Hall Fund," on Wednesday, April 22. Miss Eva Hart has kindly promised to sing. There will be duets by Dr. Felton and Mr. Ellwood; violin solos by Lady Emily Walker; comic songs by Mr. Arthur Morton, of Vancouver, and other items. The East Sooke orchestra will provide the music for the dance, and the concert will commence punctually at 9 p.m.

A meeting of the Institute will be held at Ragley on Tuesday, April 21, when Mr. Morton will give an address on sheep and pigs.

Mr. Eric Walker has left Ragley and is working at Mr. Norman Alexander's garage at Shawnigan Lake. He hopes, however, to play the drums at the dance on April 22.

C.P.R. Has Made No Terms for Lease of Garden

It can be definitely announced that the Canadian Pacific Railway has concluded no terms with any person or company with regard to the proposed lease to operate the Crystal Garden, in spite of statements which have been made in the city recently. Negotiations for operation of the Crystal Garden are being carried out by Mr. Basil Gardom, and he advises The Colonist from Lake Louise that he has received several applications for the lease, but up to the present he has made no recommendation to the vice-president, Mr. D. C. Coleman.

SUGGESTS DOLLAR BUY OTHER SHIPS

PURCHASE OF LINERS WOULD REMOVE CRITICISM

Senator McNary Makes Suggestion to President Coolidge—Commissioners Prepare Answer

WASHINGTON, April 15.—A suggestion that the Dollar interests be required to purchase the vessels they are now operating for the Shipping Board was made to President Coolidge today by Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon.

If this should be done, Senator McNary is of the opinion that there would be removed much of the basis for criticism of the action of the Board in selling to the Dollar interests the five President type ships now operated by a competitor, the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

The three commissioners who dissented to the sale of the five ships to the Dollar interests will file separate answers in the District of Columbia Supreme Court in the injunction proceedings brought by the Pacific Mail Company to prevent consummation of the sale.

They began preparation of their answers today, after the Board by a vote of four to three had refused to permit them use of lawyers in the legal department of the Board to act for them in making appearance and filing affidavits with the court.

This vote was on the same lines as that by which the sale was originally authorized.

TWENTY NAMES ARE TO BE RESUBMITTED

Primary Ballot Completed for Chamber of Commerce Directors—Three Tie for Last Place

The Victoria Chamber of Commerce has completed its preliminary tally on the annual poll for directors, ten of whom are to be chosen this year out of the full board of eighteen members.

The poll was counted last evening, and disclosed a larger number of votes than last year, and a close fight for places. Propositions on the poll, which was held to secure twenty names to go on the final ballot were not sorted out until the final moment, and it eventually transpired that there were three tied for twentieth place.

In accordance with the rules, the scrutineers drew for the place. However, as candidates have until noon on Friday to withdraw, it is not improbable that the ballot eventually sent out will show modifications from the accompanying list, as one or two may withdraw.

The final ballot must be returned by five o'clock on April 23, and the count will be made on the following day. The directors' luncheon on April 27 will furnish an opportunity for the new officers to be chosen.

The twenty names from which the ten directors are to be chosen are:

Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, president; Mr. B. C. Nicholas, vice-president; Messrs. H. Anscomb and James H. Beatty, Alderman M. P. Blair, Mr. J. O. Cameron, Alderman J. B. Clearihue, Messrs. James H. Fletcher, Mark W. Graham, Reginald Hayward, M.P.P., B. S. Heisterman, C. P. Hill, A. E. Humphries, Herbert Kent, P. Landeberg, W. H. Munsie, E. W. McMullen, H. G. Wilson and Norman A. Yarrow with Captain George McGregor.

LOCATES GAMBLING PLACE

Police Raid Results in 33 Chinese Paying $10 Each

As the result of a raid made by the police on Tuesday night Jo Sing and thirty-two other Chinese paid $10 each into the city coffers yesterday morning. They were accused of being in a common gaming house without lawful excuse. According to Chief Fry, who placed the circumstances connected with the raid before Mr. James Forman, J.P., who occupied the magistrate's bench, the game which was evidently in progress was that of fan tan. This game, according to the Chief, is essentially a gambling pastime.

Mr. W. C. Moresby, who appeared for the Chinese, pleaded guilty to the offence on behalf of each of them.

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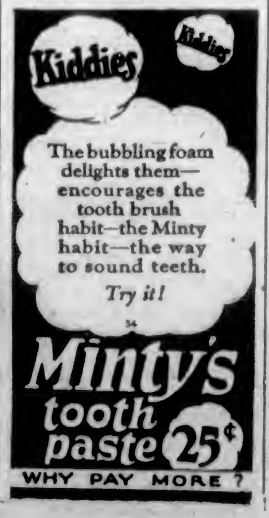


EMPRESS LINER SAILS TOMORROW

Canada Takes Out Many Noted Passengers and Heavy Consignment of Cargo Totalling 2,500 Tons

OVER 400 PEOPLE BOOKED ON LINER

Empress of Russia Due From Far East Monday Morning With 350 Passengers and Rich Silk Cargo

Outward bound for the Orient, the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada, Captain Samuel Robinson commanding, will sail from Victoria Friday evening, it was announced here yesterday. She will take out a big list of passengers and a varied cargo.

Over 400 passengers will sail on this liner, while in the holds there will be 2,500 tons of freight, including lumber, flour, canned goods, automobiles and general.

Among the prominent passengers sailing on the liner will be Mr. Gottlieb, noted tea merchant, who is going to India. Mr. Walter Siegfield, of Siegfield, Smith & Company, importers and exporters, of Chicago, accompanied by his general manager, Mr. H. Hillyer, are among other prominent people who will sail for the Orient. Mr. D. G. M. Bernard and family, of London, England, is going to Hong Kong, while Mr. L. W. Marshall, director of Arthur Balfour & Company, Sheffield, England, is also en route to the Orient.

Early Monday morning the Empress of Russia will dock here from Yokohama and other Far Eastern ports. This vessel is bringing in a list of 350 passengers of all classes and 2,000 tons of freight, of which 690 tons are raw silk, for transshipment to New York. This consignment is valued at over $4,000,000. The liner will discharge some 200 tons here, including mail, while for transshipment to the Atlantic seaboard, via the Panama Canal, there are 340 tons. For overland delivery there are 1,400 tons.

LOST EXPLORER IS AGAIN HEARD FROM

CAPT. G. H. WILKINS WAS WELL KNOWN TO VICTORIANS

Left Here in 1913 With Canadian Arctic Expedition—Authority on Australian Desert Life

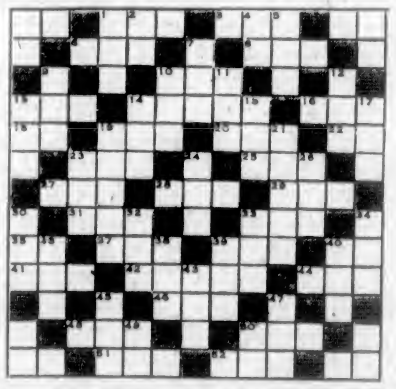
Captain George H. Wilkins, the noted biologist and explorer, who has been lost since last November in the wilds of Queensland, Australia, and in fact for whom all hope had been given up, has been heard from again, it was learned in a dispatch from Auckland. He is reported to have passed through Townsville, Queensland, recently, en route to Brisbane and Adelaide.

This noted explorer was formerly in Victoria, starting out from here with the Canadian Arctic expedition under Stefansson. He was photographer on that expedition, and was in direct touch with Stefansson after the party broke up into three groups. The expedition, it will be remembered, left Victoria on June 18, 1913. After his return to Victoria he went overseas with the Australian army, and rendered distinguished service on the Western Front, winning the Military Cross for bravery and daring. He was given a special position by the British Government in secret work behind the lines, and later turned professional adventurer.

Following the war he took on exploration work for Australian State Governments, especially in South Australia. He has become recognized as one of the best authorities on Australian desert life, being second perhaps only to Captain S. A. White, the famous orinthologist. Captain Wilkins is expected to return from his present expedition around the coast of Australia with some very valuable data regarding the fauna of that country.

The United States has forty-five chewing gum factories.

Colonist Crossword Puzzle



Crossword Puzzle No. 125

How to Solve the Puzzle

Each number in the diagram indicates the beginning of a word, reading either vertically or horizontally. The same number in some cases begins both a vertical and a horizontal word. The definitions of the words to fill the diagram are given in the lists labeled HORIZONTAL and VERTICAL, with numbers showing where to start the words in the diagram. To see how many letters each word has, count the white spaces until you come to a black square. If you have put in the correct words, they should all agree, horizontally and vertically, with the definitions, and you have solved the puzzle correctly. The solution of today's puzzle will be shown in an early issue.

Key to Crossword Puzzle No. 125

Horizontal

1. To scatter seed.
3. A famous race horse.
6. In favor of.
8. A hat.
10. A snake; also a feather.
13. A transgression.
14. Throw.
16. Not clear.
18. High.
19. A unit of measure.
20. The line where boys stand when playing marbles.
22. A university degree (ab.)
23. Miners in rock.
25. One of the higher animals.
27. A period of time.
28. Base; mean.
29. Turf.
31. Baby's neckwear.
33. Belonging to it.
35. Tear.
37. Nothing.
39. A relation of Adam.
40. Your best friend.
41. 100%.
43. This day.
44. Stout.
46. Small child.
48. Sauce.
50. A beam of light.
51. Signal of approval.
52. Study of pictures and drawings.

Vertical

1. A drunkard.
2. An alternative.
4. Eastern time (ab.)
5. The head of an army.
7. To go bad.
9. Drink slowly.
10. Where you put grain or coal.
11. Part of a play.
12. Bone of the body.
13. Taking into the mouth slowly.
14. A famous poet.
15. A kind of meat.
17. Wild, crazy.
19. Means of conveyance.
21. To be lavish, extravagant.
23. The path in which a planet revolves.
24. This minute.
26. Numbers (ab.)
30. To knock.
32. A small particle.
33. A kind of plant.
34. Used in baseball.
38. Faucet.
39. A quantity.
39. Consume.
40. To wipe your feet on.
43. Female deer.
45. A relation.
47. Feline.
49. Postoffice (ab.)
50. Means of transportation (ab.)

Answer to Puzzle No. 124

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The regular meeting of Victoria Review, W.B.A., was held in the K. of C. Hall on Tuesday evening. Visitors from Queen Alexandra Review were welcomed. Mrs. McLeod, 1239 Seaview Avenue, has kindly lent her home for a progressive five hundred party, which will take place on Saturday, April 18, at 8 o'clock. Officers and guard are requested to be present on Friday, April 24, at 2 o'clock in the K. of C. Hall for a drill practice for the convention. Plans are being made for court whist to be held in the K. of C. Hall on April 28 at 8:30 p.m.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

WARRINER—April 9, 1925, at the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Warriner, a son.

DEATHS

JOHNSTON—At the Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, on Wednesday, April 15, 1925, Agnes Johnston, widow of the late P. T. Johnston, aged 86.
Funeral will be held from the B.C. Funeral Parlors on Friday, April 17, at 4 p.m., and from St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, at 4:30 p.m. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

DONALDSON—Accidentally, on April 14, 1925, John Pow Donaldson, aged 45 years; born in Cockenzie, Scotland, and a resident of this city for 36 years. He leaves to mourn his loss five sisters and two brothers. Mrs. Arthur Brown, of Port Kensington; Mrs. W. G. Plowright, of Victoria; Mrs. F. H. Schnotar, in Vancouver; Mrs. H. J. Seymour, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Janice Patterson, in this city; James R. Donaldson and David Donaldson, of Victoria.
The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

LEGGETT—On April 14, at the residence of his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Stevenson, 129 Government Street, Samuel James Leggett, aged 62 years, born in Napanee, Ontario, and a resident of this city for the past twenty years. The late Mr. Leggett is survived by, besides his aunt, Mrs. Stevenson, one brother, Mr. John Leggett, of Napanee, Ontario.
The funeral will take place this afternoon, April 16, at 3 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Arthur deB. Owen will officiate, and the remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.
(Kindly omit flowers.)

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

SANDS FUNERAL CO.
Office and Chapel, 2615 Quadra Street
Phones 2302 and 6935

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MONUMENTAL WORK

J. MORTIMER & SON—Stone and Monumental work. 720 Courtney Street. Phone 2802.

FLOWERS—FUNERAL DESIGNS

CORNER FLOWER SHOP. Phone 1559. View and Broad. Funeral designs to your order. We grow our own flowers.

COMING EVENTS 1

CONCERT, Friday, 17th, 8 p.m. sharp. Orange Hall, Courtney Street. Good programme. Adults 25c, children free.

DANCE and court whist, Sons of Canada Hall, Friday, April 17, at 8:45. Good music, dance or cards. 50c.

FRIDAY, April 17, will be the last of the Amputation semi-monthly dances for this season.

HAMSTERLEY-LAKESIDE will be open to the public for the season for dancing on Saturday of this week. The Hamsterley-Lakeside special orchestra will play from 9 to 12 Wednesday and Saturday, dancing other nights in the new electric Multihorn.

LUXTON HALL—Dance in aid of the Crippled Children's Fund, Thursday, April 16. Pitts orchestra, 9 to 1. 50c.

MILITARY 500 and dance, Conservatives Rooms, Campbell Bldg., Thursday, at 8.30; 14 strip prizes. Everybody welcome. 25c.

MASQUERADE dance, benefit of Ivan Templa, under auspices of the Victoria Amateur Ice Hockey League, in Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, Thursday, April 16. Dancing 8 to 1. Hunt's orchestra. Tickets $1, including refreshments. Tickets may be obtained from Tha Timas and Colonist offices, Alex. Strath, Fitzsimmons' Billiard Parlors, National Motors Ltd., or any members of the league.

THE Esquimalt Scottish Daughters will hold a barn dance at the Sailors' Club on Friday, April 17, 8:00 p.m. Good music. Refreshments. Coma in gingham dresses and overalls. Admission 25c.

WHIST drive, Orange Hall, Courtney St., tonight (Thursday). 57 highest score; four other prizes. 8:00; 55 cents.

WOMEN of Mooseheart Legion will hold a home cooking stall in the basement of David Spencer's, Ltd., Saturday morning. All parcels to be left at stall by 9:30 a.m.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

APPRENTICES wanted to learn barbering. Get into the high-pay class and make your life's work more profitable. Earn while you learn. Call or write Moler Barber College, 1265 Government Street.

CANVASSERS wanted at once. Apply Columbia Cigar Stand, Government St.

COMMENCE Now—Earn upwards of $20 weekly growing mushrooms for us in outhouses or cellars. Illustrated booklet and particulars for stamp. Dominion Mushroom Company, Toronto.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2 (Continued)

COMPETENT man for garden, milk two cows, drive horse, and with good general farm experience. State fully previous experience, age, wage with board. A. J. Rudkin, Duncan.

MAKE Money at Home—$1 to $6 an hour for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct and supply you with work. West-Angus Showcard Service, 39 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

MARRIED gardener (single handed) for B.C. Okanagan district; lawns, flower beds and kitchen garden. State experience, age, nationality, wages, etc. House, fire and electric light supplied. Box 4265, Colonist.

SECRETARY—Applications, in writing, stating qualifications, will be received up to the 20th instant for position of Secretary to the Uplands Golf Club; salary $125 per month. Address name: President, Uplands Golf Club, P.O. Box 396, Victoria. Successful applicant to start May 1.

SPRING term at Sprott-Shaw Night School, to June 30, at reduced rate.

WE want, immediately, reliable man in every city and town to distribute free samples house to house. No selling. Experience unnecessary. Good pay. Great opportunity. Write us today. Hurry. Malcolm Co., 4602 Maidan Street, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Two salesmen for good Portland cement mining stock; must be men of good appearance and good hustlers. Experience not necessary. Reply to Box 6790, Colonist.

WANTED—A good machine presser. Apply City Dye Works, 844 Fort St.

WANTED—Man and team to haul cordwood. Phone 2770R.

WANTED—A law young man, mechanically inclined, to fill vacancies in our Earn-While-You-Learn Dept. of motor mechanics.
International Engineering School
210 View St., Victoria

WANTED—First-class painter. Apply A. G. Brook. Phone 5166.

FEMALE HELP WANTED 3

A GOOD home offered to schoolgirl, in exchange for light duties. James Bay district. Phone 6318R.

GIRLS wanted to learn hairdressing under 12 expert experts. Pay while learning. For particulars apply 1208 Government Street.

LADIES' companion wanted, light duties, in comfortable home; person of refinement and bright disposition, musical if possible. Box 6745, Colonist.

MARCELLING, shingling, facial massage, at your own home, any time. Phone 6235R, mornings.

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SHAMPOOING, marcelling, curling, haircutting, manicuring, half-price. B.C. School of Hairdressing, 226 Sayward Bldg. Phone 3520.

WANTED—Men and women to earn $5 to $25 weekly at home during Summer. No canvassing, experience unnecessary, distance immaterial. For particulars write Auto Knitter Hosiery Company, Toronto, Dept. C-64.

WANTED—Competent stenographer, with knowledge of bookkeeping. State particulars to Box 6778, Colonist.

WANTED—Experienced saleslady. Apply the General Warehouse, 607 Yates St.

WANTED—Lady cook for country place; no washing, no housework; good references essential. Mrs. Choat, Duncan, R.M.D. 1, B.C.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

EXPERIENCED pruner and gardener, first worker, $4 day. Phone 4492R.

FENCING, all kinds, in town or country. Phone 5693L1.

HANDY man. Phone 6036R.

HOUSE painting; ceilings kalsomined, Yankee style, walls papered. Short and labor, so end up. Experienced workman. Been, 972 Walker Street.

IF you want a carpenter, phone Labor Hall, 3686.

TREES and stumps removed; clearing, tree surgery. Phone 5293L1.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

AN Englishwoman, experienced, middle-aged, requires post as companion, in Oak Bay district; or caretaker. Very careful and trustworthy. Box 6719, Colonist.

ENGLISHWOMAN, washing and cleaning, by day. Phone 1661R.

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LADY would like position as housekeeper to elderly widower or elderly lady. Phone 6546R.

MARCELLING done, 60c, in my home, or 65c in yours. Phone 5826X.

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YOUNG lady, to gain experience, will render services in either dental or medical office, attending telephone, etc. 2347L.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL—Watch for our recital.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, Victoria, B.C.—Preparatory school for boys. Individual attention. Prospectus on application. Phone 32.

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SPECIAL class coaching for entrance pupils, flat rate, April 14 to June 16. Sprott-Shaw School.

MUSIC 7

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VIOLIN

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TO EXCHANGE 8

A GOOD six-room Victoria home, expensive electric ranges installed, for a five-room bungalow in Duncan, same value. J. N. Holland, 608 Pemberton Bldg.

FOR Sale or Trade—Almost new eight-room house. Would consider a good seaworthy boat in trade. Full particulars, F. F. Higgs, 506 Pemberton Bldg.

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$5500—VERY fine 5-room house. Up to date, practically new. Consider trade house of acreage up to $1,000. Full information, F. F. Higgs, 506 Pemberton Bldg.

TO EXCHANGE 8 (Continued)

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

A. CRESSWELL, piano tuner, for fine workmanship. Phone 646.

ALL your trash will bring you cash, such as rags, bottles; also tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else. We call anywhere and pay best prices. Phone 6126.

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TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

2 TENT-HOUSE courts for the season; everything provided. Also garage for rent. Both at 1505 Rockland Ave. Phone 5165R.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

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A 4-FT. bed, spring and good wool mattress, $8.50; massively carved solid oak dining suite, leather seats, large extending table, $69; solid fumed oak dining suite, leather, $129.50; fumed oak dining suite, new condition, stuffed leather, $65; beautiful serpentine front chiffonier, oval bevelled mirror, $12.50; genuine Australian rocker, $6.50. Imperial Exchange, 746 Fort St. Phone 642. New management.

BARGAIN—Kitchen cabinet with 2 drawers, in good condition, $3.50. Oddy's, 1613 Douglas Street.

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MISCELLANEOUS

AT the Western Fish Company, 761 Fort Street, near Blanchard—Fresh cooked Spanish crabs, our own cooking, 15c, 20c and 25c each. Phone 6869. We deliver.

ALL junk you have the Veteran Junk will buy. Phone 2921.

A WATER jacket heater, in use 6 months, cost $26, my price $15. Hill's, 610 Pandora.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

FOR Sale—Cedar posts. A. R. Hatch, R.M.D. No. 2, Sooke Harbor Road.

FOR Sale—2,000 ft. 1x8 flooring; also 100 panes glass, 66x17, and galvanized iron. Snap for quick sale. Apply 430 Quebec.

FOR Sale—Winchester rifle (.44 cal.), late model, $17.50; genuine Washburn guitar and case, $25; old violin, $15; prismatic glasses, 8-power, $17.50; field glasses, 56; brass telescopes, $1.75; English solid leather valises, $6.75; solid gold watch chains, $15; sample suitcases, $1.75. Edison diamond point gramophone and records, $35. Inner tubes, 75c; outer tires, $1.50; boy's bicycle, $9.75; gent's Massey bicycle, $15; spectacles to fit any sight, 75c. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-Hand Store, 581 Johnson St., 4 doors below Government St. Phone 736.

FOR Sale—A four-hole Albion range, "The Ruperti," a snap. Phone 7263Y.

FOR Sale—First-class potatoes, eating or seed. Gregory, Millstream P.O., Vancouver Island.

GOATS milk delivered anywhere. Phone 7616R1.

HAND sewing machines, $9 and up. 716 Yates Street.

LARGE leather-covered wicker trunk, in fine condition; only $6.50. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

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SUN ELECTRIC CO.
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OAK BAY Transfer—Coal, 75c sack, delivered. Furniture and piano moving. Phone 6366.

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PAIR new roller skates, lady's. Phone 4564L, between 7 and 8 p.m.

RANGES sold, repaired, traded, moved, connected, coils made. Southall, 786 Fort Street.

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THE Modern Shoe Co., Ltd., 1200 Government Street. Try us for value.

THREE used Singer machines to clear, 718 Yates.

VICTORIA Junk Agency Co., 1316 Wharf Street. Phone 1636. We buy junk.

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(Continued)

3 Large Trees, Assorted $5.00
6 Large Trees, Assorted $6.00
And
Fine Big Cherry Trees at each $1.50
AT PUBLIC MARKET
Wednesday and Saturday this week.
Also Fine Evergreens, Roses, Etc.
LATRITZ NURSERIES, LTD.

6-HOLE steel range, with waterfront, in A1 condition; bargain, $25. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

1 7-INCH gill net, leads and floats, almost new. Mac's, 1415 Store.

2 OAK mantels, with bevelled mirrors, grates and tiles complete, $15 each. 10,000 good hard bricks, cleaned. Can deliver same, large or small lots. Apply 1278 Oscar Street, between 8 and 5. Phone 266.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ABSOLUTELY best cash prices paid for ladies', gentlemen's and children's good-class DISCARDED CLOTHING. Phone 2666, or call Mrs. Wardale, 1602 Douglas St.

ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 6166.

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for good-class furniture, carpets, ranges, china and silverware. Phone 2656.

DIAMONDS and old jewelry. Aaronson's, 661 Johnson Street. Phone 765.

DON'T Hesitate—Phone 2402 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call at once and grant prices. Island Exchange, 739 Fort St.

GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING BOUGHT
BEST PRICES PAID WE CALL
SHAW & CO.
735 FORT STREET PHONE 461
Phone 5124 MRS. JOWITT 221 Fort
The SECOND Discarded Clothing Store above Blanchard.
Look for the BLUE signboard.
We buy. Don't mistake the store. We call.

PHONE 5166—WE PAY BEST PRICES for bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Try us.

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RAGS, bottles, furniture, old clothes, junk, etc. Best prices. Phone 5146X1.

WANTED—Hoover vacuum with attachments, in first-class condition. Box 4747, Colonist.

ROOM AND BOARD 15

ABERDEEN Hotel, 241 McClure—Hot and cold water in rooms, white cooking; garden and tennis court. Phone 1810G.

A HIGHLY recommended home for business gentlemen, with private family. Phone 6701L.

A FEW vacancies at Alexandra House. Excellent cuisine. Moderate rates. Phone 2676.

BOARD and Room in private home; no other boarder; Foul Bay, ideal for Summer. Phone 5661.

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COMFORTABLE room and board, close to Hudson's Bay; 724 Herald. Phone 6757X.

COMFORTABLE room and board, close in. 1024 McClure St. Phone 1060X.

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HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

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ALL LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN AND PAID FOR

SITUATED ON HOME STREET, close to park and sea, and within easy walking distance of city. There are six nice rooms; reception hall, living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms, good three-piece bathroom. Full cement basement, with furnace. Cement driveway to garage.

PRICE, ON TERMS, ONLY
$2950

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
322 Government Street
Phone 135

NEAR JUBILEE HOSPITAL, in select location—Excellent family house of seven rooms, with all modern conveniences; ample cupboard accommodation; sleeping porch. Nicely laid out lot. First-class order throughout. Price $3,900, on terms.

MARIGOLD P.O.—Six-roomed house; conservatory, sleeping porch; splendid garden; large garage; two lots. Low taxes. All in excellent order. Price $1,800.

MACNICOL & KERR REALTY CO.
413 Central Bldg.

BUY IN OAK BAY

OAK BAY—If you are looking for a large house in a beautiful position, with excellent views, that could be turned into a small apartment block or School, we have such a proposition for sale at a sacrifice price.

We have some excellent buys in six-room houses, in perfect condition, in this the best residential district.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
324 Fort Street Phone 8502

NO BETTER BUY IN OAK BAY

SIX-ROOMED modern Californian bungalow; sunny living-room, fireplace, built-in bookcase; opening to dining-room, panelled; well-fitted kitchen and pantry; breakfast-room; 3 nice bedrooms, bathroom between, basement, furnace, tubs; lot, garage, fruit and oak trees; south of Oak Bay Avenue. Price just reduced to $5,800 for quick sale. Exclusively by Bagshawe & Co.

SEMI-BUNGALOW, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, breakfast nook, bath, three bedrooms, large sleeping porch, overlooking sea; hardwood floors, electric range. Full basement and laundry trays; hot water heating. In Fairfield. Box 5373, Colonist.

A PHENOMENAL BARGAIN
OAK BAY—3 ROOMS—$1,750

WE have offered and sold many bargains to our clients—we invite personal and full investigation of this home. Just off Foul Bay Road, short block to car, on quiet street. Consists of living-room 12 feet long, with oak open fireplace; exceptionally bright dining-room, also with oak fireplace; large size of modern cleaner and electric range. The latter already installed and goes with the house. Good lot, in select locality, near car line, in Fairfield district. There is no "catch" in this, so it is a genuine bargain, which we can thoroughly recommend.

PRICE ONLY $4,300, ON TERMS
SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE
Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents
Winch Building 646 Fort Street

A LOVELY 3-room house, Fairfield district; garage; garden. Owner, phone 6055R.

A LOVELY semi-bungalow, near the sea. A beautiful view. Consists of seven rooms, also sleeping porch, sewing-room and billiard-room. Can be used for dancing; this room has a very good floor. Modern in every way; hardwood floor, hot water heat. Price very reasonable, and terms. Deal with owner 14 Wellington Ave. 5154X.

DALLAS AVENUE—A charming location, close to Beacon Hill Park, schools and sea; easy walking distance to postoffice, shopping, etc. Large, sunny rooms, reception hall, drawing-room with large fireplace, dining-room, Stregrata, buffet, and china closet; six-piece hall to bedroom; each bedroom large closet; 3-piece bathroom, convenient linen cupboard, light, walks, phone; ½-acre lot in orchard; veranda back and front; taxes $8; price $4,500, or nearest bid.

PATTERSON REALTY, 883 Yates.

$1950—FOUR-ROOM bungalow, nearly new, modern and attractive in every respect. Reception-room with open fire; bright, roomy kitchen; two bedrooms and complete bathroom; basement, and nice full-sized lot. In one of Oak Bay's best residential sections. EASY TERMS.

$2800—SIX-ROOM bungalow, Oak Bay end; in terms, cement basement, furnace, garage; well located, close to sea and car. Price $3,850.

OAK BAY—4-room bungalow, built-in fixtures, garage and nice lot, boulevarded street, close to car. Price only $2,300.

J. B. LIVSEY
204 Hayward Block Phone 824

FOR Sale—Home and lot, 5355 Alder St., off Cloverdale; $1,600 cash. Apply 628 Fort Street.

HOMES our specialty. James Bay, brand new modern stucco bungalow, open fireplace, every built-in convenience, cement basement and walks, close in, no car fare; price $2,300; small cash payment will handle. Beach Drive, Oak Bay, delightful view of the water; 5-room stucco bungalow and sunroom, modern and up-to-the-minute in every respect; now under construction, ready for occupation in about 2 weeks; not too late to alter interior finish to suit; price $5,850. The City Brokerage (A. T. Abbey, Mgr.), 566 View Street. Phone 312.

HOUSES built on instalment plan.
Modern homes for sale on easy terms.
R. R. BALL, Contractor
Fort and Shadecona Phone 1149

MOUNT TOLMIE—$750—Nice little house, 4 rooms, furnished; garden, fruits, flowers; water, electric light. Terms. Phone 2820L.

EXTRAORDINARY OAK BAY SPECIAL

MOST desirable Oak Bay residence, near car and golf links. Half acre garden, lawns and oak trees. The interior arrangements of this house are very appealing. Stately entrance hall, beautifully panelled and beamed, handsome open hearth; drawing-room finished in ivory, art fireplace, deep window seats and wide casement windows; dining-room beamed and panelled, with built-in effects matching reception hall. These three rooms give a wide expanse of beautifully polished floors. Wide stairway, mullioned windows; also back stairs. Four exceptionally large, bright bedrooms, two with fireplaces, large closets, and sleeping porch. Bathroom in white tiles. Everything like new, and especially well built. Owner leaving, offers special cash price for one week, $8,000. Exclusive agent, G. C. Howell, 169 Pemberton Bldg.

NEAR Fort St. car and Jubilee Hospital—Six rooms, modern; garage and basement. Sacrifice price $4,500; terms $520 cash, balance on mortgage.

NEAR Burnside car, on high ground, four rooms, large garage with cement floor and walls, good garden with fruit trees and small fruits; price only $1,325, on your own terms at $ per cent.

4 ROOMS, fully modern, on high ground, just outside city limits; half acre of good ground with fine garden; price only $2,000.

A NICE 4-room fully modern bungalow, with garage and chicken house; 2 large lots in good garden soil; a real snap at $2,100.

We have a number of other real bargains in small houses. It will pay you to see our listings.

DUNFORD'S, LIMITED
(F. R. Carlow, Mgr.)
334 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 4542.

$2625—JAMES BAY—Four-room bungalow, modern in every way. New furnace, cement basement. Cash $700, balance to suit. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

$200 CASH, balance to suit, for nice little four-room cottage, with ½ acre. Price $1350. Apply F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg., for full particulars.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 356

MT. TOLMIE

HIGH position, commanding a magnificent view, yet sheltered from the wind—A thoroughly modern, well-kept bungalow, containing six rooms.

Entrance hall; pleasant sitting-room with fireplace; dining-room has fitted-in buffet, beamed ceiling and panelled walls; large, light kitchen, with pantry and sink entirely separate; bathroom with modern plumbing fixtures, and two large bedrooms downstairs and one very large room upstairs. Concrete basement, new furnace.

Large lot, with some very fine oak trees, a few fruit trees and a good garden. Garage.

This bungalow sets well back from the road and is in first-class condition.

PRICE $5500

Phone 356 for appointment to view.

PEMBERTON & SON
623 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

FINE OAK BAY RESIDENCE
SPLENDID GROUNDS
$8500

WE are able to offer one of the nicest homes in Oak Bay; large grounds, nicely laid out in lawns, shrubs, etc., and dozens of roses, good kitchen garden, some fruit trees, also magnificent grape vine in greenhouse.

The house is exceptionally well built and very warm; hardwood floors in main rooms; hot water heating, and has four good bedrooms upstairs, also trunk rooms.

Main floor—Nice large, bright drawing-room, dining-room, den, kitchen with separate pantry; full cement plastered basement, with billiard-room, storeroom, laundry, etc.

Good garage, with full cement drive.

We can arrange terms if necessary.

A NORTH END HOME $4000

A NICE home of 5 rooms, just painted and decorated throughout; 5 living-rooms and hall, with 3 fireplaces; bright kitchen, with pass pantry; 4 good bedrooms, with closets; 3-piece bathroom; basement and furnace; full-sized lot. Close in and of good street. Very easy terms if required.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.,
306 View Street. Phone 36.

SUMMER RESORTS 41

NOW OPEN NOW OPEN

ANCHORAGE TEA GARDENS
BRENTWOOD BAY

The most restful place on the Saanich Peninsula.

Come once. You will want to come again.

Buses give frequent service between the Anchorage and Victoria.

NOW OPEN NOW OPEN

COMPLETELY furnished cottages, on private beach close to Parkeville; farm produce; good bathing and fishing. Alex. Strawiger, "The Retreat," Craig's Crossing, V.I.

PRIVATE camping ground to let. Apply J. Tracey, Feltham Road, Gordon Head.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

A GENTLEMAN'S COUNTRY ESTATE, AK comprising 22 acres of arable, pasture and park lands. Delightful, modern 8-room residence, with every convenience, standing in attractive gardens and overlooking countryside and lake. This is an exceptional property. The buildings cost about $8,000 and are in perfect repair. Besides the house there is a small cottage for a help, barn, chicken houses and outbuildings. The property is well fenced and cross-fenced, and is surrounded by large holdings, ideal for shooting and fishing. Can be bought now at the surprisingly low figure of $8,000; slightly longer for all cash. Photos on view at my office. G. C. Howell, 169 Pemberton Bldg.

A NUMBER of good acreage propositions near Victoria for sale. Low prices and reasonable terms. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

SAANICH SPECIAL

CHOICE 3 ACRES, all under cultivation. 4-room plastered bungalow, with basement. Property fenced. 12,000 strawberry plants, 250 black currant trees. Very low taxes. Strawberry crop for this year sold at $720. Immediate possession given. Title indefeasible. Price (cash $1,900, balance on easy terms), $2,300.

H. G. DALBY & CO.
554 View, opposite Spencer's

CHEAP ACREAGE—Brentwood district, 50 acres, 6 cleared and ploughed. Price reduced to $1,700 cash. J. B. LIVSEY, 204 Hayward Block. Phone 824.

HUGE BARGAIN IN ACREAGE

FRONTING on main road, city water and phone. Forty-five acres of good land, no rock or swamp; running stream the year 'round. Twenty acres cleared. Excellent six-room house, with basement.

PRICE $6,850
J. GREENWOOD
1326 Government Street

HOTHOUSE business, as going concern, one and about to produce good income. Near to Victoria. The plant is modern and very efficient; about 5,500 ft. under glass; about 3,000 tomato plants, one house of cucumbers, some very fine grape vines, only best and wanted varieties. About 5 acres of land. Comfortable 2-roomed house and outbuildings. Some fine fruit trees, including two good peach trees. THE PRICE IS RIGHT, and we will be glad to show you this property by appointment. No phone information, please.

R. V. WINCH & CO., LTD.
Winch Bldg., Fort St.

MALAHAT BEACH—Nearly 9 acres of land and good 6-roomed house, with bathroom, basement and veranda. Several acres cleared; exceptionally productive land, well watered by three springs; splendid fresh water supply piped in house. Good kitchen garden and fruit trees. Chicken houses, etc. On main highway, facing the sea. Beautiful view, easy transportation, splendid fishing and boating. This is one of the best buys. Price reduced to $4,000, on terms.

A. R. BARTON
703-119 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 2441, 4901

QUALICUM BEACH—5 acres, 5-room cottage, $575, terms. Close to school, store and railway station. Beach 3 minutes' walk. 3 acres cleared, cedar picket fence all around (cost $350). 2 chicken houses for 50 birds, goat stable with stalls, woodshed. Cottage wall built, veranda, shingle roof, double flooring. Taxes only $5 per annum. Just right for Summer home. ACT QUICK ON THIS ONE.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
613 View Street Phone 3038
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

$3150—EIGHT acres of absolutely first-class land, very suitable for small fruits or chickens; four acres in cultivation, four acres practically cleared, some logans and raspberries; located six miles from city, on paved road; nice bungalow of four rooms; barn, two good wells; stream through property. EASY TERMS.

$21,000—FOURTEEN acres of Gordon Head waterfrontage, sloping gently to private boating and bathing beach, and commanding unrivalled views of sea and Gulf Islands. This property is protected from all cold winds and produces early crops of fruit and vegetables. Modern residence of seven rooms, with hot water heating; also servants' quarters; rose gardens, lawns, etc.; convenient to golf links and city.

HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Bldg Phone 3203

15 ACRES first-rate land for bulb growing, market gardening or chicken ranching. Excellent soil, natural drainage. Part of the land can be irrigated. A five-roomed new dwelling, surrounded by a garden, with a greenhouse. Water laid on. Commanding fine view. Barn, chicken house. Situated on Island Highway, close to railway station. Price $8,000. Easy terms can be arranged to a suitable purchaser.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station, E. & N. Ry.

8 ACRES of splendid land, just 21 miles from Victoria. Good 5-room house with bath and pantry, and hot and cold water; 3 new chicken houses. Half the farm is cultivated and in berries, fruit trees, etc. This is in a good location, and a splendid buy at $3,500, on terms.

DUNFORD'S, LIMITED
(F. R. Carlow, Manager)
334 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 4542

REAL SACRIFICE

$2000—THIS 2½ ACRES of full-bearing orchard is reduced to a figure that makes it an absolute bargain, and is an actual revenue producer from the first. Has a very nice and nearly new 4-roomed bungalow, good water and chicken house. This requires cash, has it $1,000 below value.

MUTUAL REALTY, 416 Bayward Bldg.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42 (Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 356

WATERFRONT
PROSPECT LAKE

WE have 55 acres on the waterfront, very suitable to subdivide for Summer homes, or an exceptionally nice place for a permanent home. A good road to the property. Any reasonable offer will be considered.

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
623 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

CHEAP Lots—Two good ones in Oak Bay, close to Willows Beach and car; price $350 the two. Nice building site, close to Haultain St., 105x115, price $350. Big lot on Bay St., 88x140, price $175. J. B. LIVSEY, 204 Hayward Block. Phone 824.

FOR Sale—A very choice lot in Esquimalt. Special bargain. Apply 1034 Burdett Avenue.

FOR Sale—A few waterfront lots, cheap. And also 84 acres, with 18 cultivated and under orchard, etc. What offers for all or separate, to close an estate? Apply Leonard C. Mills, Barrister, Victoria, B.C.

BUY IN OAK BAY

OAK BAY—We advise the purchase of vacant property in this district. Prices are at a low ebb, and if you are looking for an investment or a lot for future use, we advise the purchase NOW. Our survey has put us in touch with some sacrifices that cannot fail to attract.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
324 Fort Street Phone 2409

TWO very choice lots for sale at a bargain. They are on the west side of Shelbourne Street, about 400 feet north from the gas station, corner of Hillside. Level and well drained, on good street and very desirable. Owner in New York instructs me to sell and I offer the two for cash sale at $500. J. C. Bridgman, Agent, 504 Broughton Street.

FARMS FOR RENT 49

FARM for rent as going concern; stock and equipment to be taken at valuation. Marks, Brynmawr, V.I., B.C.

GOOD farm to rent, 333 acres, about 72 cleared, waterfrontage, some slashing. Would rent as going concern, with stock and implements, on share crop basis; about $150 to $175 per month; rent $33 per month. Robert Gruhn & Son, Mahon Bldg., 1113 Government St.

ACREAGE FOR RENT 50

IF you want to rent a farm, improved acreage near Victoria, come in and see my list. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN 53

AGREEMENTS for sale and mortgages purchased. Money to loan. Foot & Manser, Barristers, Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., Victoria.

IN sums ranging from $500 to $20,000, on improved farm and city property. Apply F. R. Brown & Sons, Limited, 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1574.

LOANS, any amount; chattel mortgages. David Nelson, 425 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 3788.

MONEY to Loan—$500,

Finance and Commerce

IRREGULARITY SHOWN IN PRICE MOVEMENT

Industrials Show Reactionary Tendencies While Bullish Enthusiasm Checked by Break in Grain

NEW YORK, April 15.—Extreme irregularity in price movement developed in today's stock market, the rails working toward higher levels while the industrials showed reactionary tendencies. Bullish enthusiasm was checked by another sharp break in grain prices and the publication of the weekly steel trade reviews setting forth that business during the second week of April was quieter than the first.

Buying of the rails was stimulated by the decision of the interstate commerce commission overruling a motion to postpone consideration of the Nickel Plate merger plans.

United States Steel common developed impressive strength in the face of the relatively unfavorable trade news, touching a new high on the current movement at 117⅝, and closing just below the top for a net gain of ⅝ on the day.

Motor shares continued to gather strength.

Several of the standard industrials lost ground. American Can sagged more than a point, to 172⅞, and American Sugar Refining fell back 2¼, to 68⅝.

Call money ruled unchanged at 3½ per cent. Money rates showed an easier tendency, more refunds being available for the shorter maturities at 3 per cent. Prime commercial paper was quoted at 3⅝ to 4 per cent.

The feature of the foreign exchange market here was the recovery of nearly six points in French francs at 5.19 cents, on indications that Painleve would be successful in the formation of a new cabinet. Demand sterling ruled unchanged to around $4.78. Japanese yen crossed 42 cents, to a new high for the year on reports of a reduction in the official Japanese rediscount rate. Norwegian kroner advanced 12 points to a new high at 16.15 cents, in reflection of the transfer of funds in connection with the recent Norwegian financing in the New York market.

With investment buying promoted by easier money conditions, bond prices forged ahead with considerable vigor today. The advance was fairly uniform, embracing both the high-some of the latter responding to special developments.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 15.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents.

Great Britain—Demand 473 1-16; cables 473 7-16; 60-day bills on banks 474 7-16.
France—Demand 3.19½; cables 3.20.
Italy—Demand 4.09⅝; cables 4.10⅝.
Belgium—Demand 3.04½.
Germany—Demand 23.80.
Holland—Demand 38.90.
Norway—Demand 16.12.
Sweden—Demand 26.02.
Denmark—Demand 18.87.
Switzerland—Demand 19.22.
Spain—Demand 14.23.
Greece—Demand 1.60.
Poland—Demand .1614.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 2.96½.
Jugo-Slavia—Demand 1.62.
Austria—Demand .0014½.
Roumania—Demand .62½.
Argentina—Demand 32.26.
Rio de Janeiro—Demand 12⅝.
Shanghai—Demand 74¼.
Montreal—99 15-16.

All Fractions in Eighths

	High	Low	Bid
Allis Chalmers	79-6	76-6	79-6
Allied Chemical	92-4	91-5	92
Amer. Beet Sugar	41	41	41
Amer. Bosch Mag.	32-7	31-2	31-5
Amer. Can.	174-6	172-3	172-3
Amerfl Car & Fdy.	204	200	200
Amer. Intl. Corp.	34-5	34-5	34-5
Amer. Linseed	23	22	22
Amer. Locomotive	124-6	122	122-4
Amer. Ship & Comm.	10-7	10-7	10-7
Amer. Smelters	65-3	65-3	65-5
Amer. Steel Fdy.	30-1	29-6	30
Amer. Sugar	70	68-4	68-5
Amer Sum. Tob.	14-2	14-4	14-6
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	132	132	132
Amer. Tobacco	69-5	68-7	68-4
Amer. Woolens	42-4	41-5	41-7
Anaconda	36	35-7	35
Atlantic Gulf	37-3	36-2	36-4
Atchison	121-7	120-7	121-7
Baldwin Loco.	112-4	112-7	114-5
Baltimore & Ohio	74-4	72-3	72-4
Bethlehem Steel	42-3	42	42
Brooklyn Manhat	40-4	40-3	40-4
California Packing	104	104	104
California Pete	30	28-5	28-5
Canadian Pacific	142-1	142-6	142
Cerro De Pasco	45-6	42-6	42-6
Central Leather	16-7	16-7	16-7
Chandler	39	36-2	39
Chesapeake & Ohio	91-4	91-4	91-4
Chic. Gt. Western	10-4	10	10-1
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	8-1	8	8
Chic. Mil. & St. P. pfd.	9-2	9	9-5
Chic. & Northwest	50-5	49	49-6
Chic. R.I. & Pac.	43-6	42-6	42-5
Chile Copper	23-4	23-4	23-5
Chino Copper	31	31	31
Coca Cola	95-6	92	92-4
Colo. Fuel & Iron	34-4	34-4	34-4
Columbia Gas	57-2	56-4	56-7
Cons. Gas	77-1	77-1	77-4
Cont. Can	62-7	62-3	62-3
Corn Products	39-4	38-4	39-4
Cuban Cat. Oil	27-7	27-7	27-7
Cuba Amer. Sugar	39-4	39-4	38-4
Cuba C. Sugar	13	12	12
Crucible Steel	64-5	63-2	63-5
Davison Chemical	34-5	34-6	34-6
Dodge	100	100	100
Dupont Powder	142-5	140-4	140-5
Endicott Johnson	64-2	64-0	64-5
Erie	38-4	38-4	38-4
Erie 1st pfd.	38	37-5	38
Famous Players	98	96-4	96-4
General Asphalt	48	48	48
General Cigar	68-3	68-3	68-5
General Electric	276-6	273-3	273-5
General Motors	75-3	72-7	72-7
Goodrich Rubber	52-7	51-6	51-6
Granby	14-7	14-7	14-7
Great Northern Ore	33-7	33-7	33-7
Great Northern pfd.	62-7	62-4	62-5
Gulf States Steel	71-3	70-4	71-3
Houston Oil	62	60	62
Illinois Central	114	114	114
Inspiration	33-1	33-1	33-1
Intl. Bus. Machine	116	115	115
Intl. Comb. Eng.	37-4	37-3	37-4
Intl. Mer. Marine	10-6	10-6	10-6
Intl. Mer. Mar. pfd.	42-5	41-3	43-5
Intl. Nickel	39-3	38-4	39-3
Kan. City South.	34-4	33-4	34-5
Kennecott Copper	48-7	48-5	48-7
Kelly Springfield	16-3	16-2	16-2
Keystone Tire	2-7	2-7	2-7
Lehigh Valley	79	76-4	76[illegible]
Lehigh Valley Coal	38-6	38-6	38-5
Lorillard	24-3	24-3	24-3
Louisiana Oil	16-7	16-7	16-7
Louis. & Nash.	109	108	108
Mack Truck	147-3	144-6	146-2
Marland Oil	36-5	34	36
Maxwell "A"	105-4	103-4	102-4
Maxwell "B"	73-4	70-3	73-4
Mexican Seaboard	18-5	17-1	17-4
Miami	19-4	19-4	19-4
Midvale Steel	57-3	57-3	57-3
Miss Pacific	36	34-3	33-3
Miss. Pacific pfd.	78-6	77-4	78-6
Montana Power	65-1	65-1	65-1
Montgomery Ward	45-6	45	45
Moon Motor	27-4	26-5	26-6
Morrelede	7-1	7-1	7-1
National Biscuit	66-7	66-7	66-7
National Enamel	60-5	60-6	60-5
National Lead	143	145	146
Nevada Cons.	15-6	15-6	15-6
Norfolk & West.	129-4	123-4	126
North American	42-6	42-3	42-5
Northern Pacific	61-3	60-5	61-3
N.Y. Central	116-5	115-4	116-5
N.Y. N.H. & Hart.	31-5	30-4	30-4
N.Y. Ont. & West.	31	31	31
Packard Motor	32	31-5	31-7
Pacific Oil	56-5	54-6	55-3
Pan American	72	74-4	74-6
Pan Amer. "B"	72-4	71-4	71-7
Pennsylvania R.R.	44-2	44-1	44-1
People's Gas	116	113	112
Pere Marquette	65-4	65-4	65-4
Phil. Reading Coal	41	41	41
Phillips Pete	36	34-6	39
Pierce Arrow	14-1	13-7	14-1
Pierce Pete	6-6	6-6	6-6
Producers & Ref.	23-4	23-4	23-4
Pullman Co.	132-4	129-4	129-4
Pure Oil	26-4	25-5	26-4
Rail. Steel Spring	126-6	126	126-5
Ray Cons.	13	13	13
Reading	74-5	73-6	74-2
Rep. Iron & Steel	45-7	45-4	45-7
Radio	27-7	53-7	27-2
Royal Dutch	46-4	45-5	45-4
Savage Arms	76	68-5	68-2
Sears Roebuck	132	125	125
Shell Union	24-3	23-7	24
Simms Pete	23-5	22-5	22-2
Sinclair Cons	19-4	19-2	19-2
Sloss Sheffield	64	64	64
Southern Pacific	103-2	101-7	103-2
Southern Railway	82-6	80-5	82-5
Standard Oil, Cal.	23-2	23	23-1
Standard Oil, N.J.	41	40-7	40-7
Standard Oil, Ind.	41-7	41-7	41-7
Stewart Warner	48	43-4	43-5
St. Louis & S. Fran.	67-2	66-2	67
Stromberg Carb.	64	64	64
Studebaker	43-4	43	43-1
Tennessee Copper	6-1	5-1	5-1
Texas Co.	44	43-7	44
Texas Gulf Sulphur	108-5	103-6	108-1
Texas Pacific R.R.	52-4	51-5	52
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	12-7	12-5	12-7
Timken Roller	41	40-4	41
Tobacco Prod.	75-5	75-5	75-5
Tob. Prod. "A"	98-4	98-4	98-4
Trans. Oil	4-3	4-3	4-3
Union Pacific	141-6	140-4	140-6
United Fruit	314-7	314-7	314-7
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	172	170-3	172-2
Utah, Ind. Alco.	34-4	33	33
U.S. Rubber	40-7	40	40
U.S. Steel	117-5	116-2	117-5
Utah Copper	33-4	33-4	33-4
Vanadium	37-2	37-2	37-2
Wabash	44-1	43-6	43-6
Western Union	136-7	134-4	136-6
Western Pacific	37-7	36-4	37-6
Westing. Elec.	60-2	66	66
White Motor	63-2	63-7	63-7
Willys-Overland	14-7	14-1	14-7
Willys-Overland pfd.	93-7	93-4	93-7
Wilson Packing	7-1	7-1	7-1
Woolworth	118-5	118-5	118-6
Worth. Pump	61-6	60-5	60-5

MONTREAL STOCKS

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All Fractions in Eighths

	Close
Abitibi	62
Asbestos	65-4
Atlantic Sugar	39-1
Bell Telephone	135-4
Brompton Paper	12
Brazilian Trac.	46-7
Can. Cement com.	104-4
Can. Cement, pfd.	118-4
Can. Car Fdy., com.	43
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	83-5
Can. S.S. com.	13-3
Can. S.S. pfd.	44-4
Can. Cottons	106
Can. Converters	31
Cons. M. & S.	67
Detroit United	8
Dominion Bridge	71
Dominion Canners	165-5
Dominion Glass	113
Dominion Textile	71-5
Howard Smith	38
Lake of Woods Milling	170-4
Laurentide Co.	81-4
Mackay Co.	117
Montreal Power	179-6
National Breweries	48-1
Ontario Steel	47-7
Ogilvie Milling Co.	137
B.C. Fishing	31-2
Ottawa Power	69-4
Penmen's Ltd.	146
Bank of Montreal	244-3
Bank of Nova Scotia	249
Shawinigan	137
Spanish River Pulp	106-4
Spanish River Pulp pfd.	119
Steel of Canada	53-3
Royal Bank	233
Bank of Commerce	190-4
Twin City Elec.	44-4
Wayagamac Pulp	46-4

ANOTHER SLUMP HITS WHEAT AT WINNIPEG

Reaction Follows Previous Day's Advance, and Prices Sagged Seven Cents

WINNIPEG, April 15.—Reacting from the spontaneous advance at the close of yesterday's market, wheat prices today sagged 7 cents in a session marked by a weak export demand and unsettled sentiment. Weakness was reflected shortly after the market opened; prices slumped more than 4 cents, the decline continuing unchecked until the end of the session. May delivery closed at $1.57⅛, July $1.54⅝ and October $1.32¾. Trade volume was comparatively light.

Seaboard reports stated that a little business had been worked in Manitobas today.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	162	162	157⅛	157⅛
July	161	161⅝	153⅛	154⅛
Oct.	136	136	130a	132⅛
Oats—				
May	49	49⅝	48⅛	48⅛
July	51	51	50a	50a
Oct.	56⅛	56⅝	56	56
Barley—				
May	79⅛	79⅛	78⅛	78⅛b
July	78⅛	79⅝	78	78⅛
Oct.	..	..	..	72⅛o
Flax—				
May	240⅛	242⅝	240	240⅛
July	241⅛	248	242⅛	242⅛
Oct.	..	..	..	254⅝a
Rye—				
May	117⅛a	112⅛	114⅛	114⅛b
July	117⅛	118	114	114a
Oct.	..	..	..	93

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 159⅞; 2 nor., 154⅛; 3 nor., 149⅝; No. 4, 139⅝; No. 5, 121⅝; No. 6, 111⅛; feed, 91⅛; track, 157⅛.

Oats—2 cw., 49; 3 cw., 45⅝; extra 1 feed, 45¼; 1 feed, 42½; 2 feed, 39⅝; rejected, 35⅝; track, 48⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 78⅛; 4 cw., 73⅛; rejected, 70⅛; feed, 69⅛; track, 78⅛.

Flax—1 nwc., 239⅛; 2 cw., 236; 3 cw., 229½; rejected, 229⅛; track, 239⅛.

Rye—2 cw., 113⅝.

Vancouver Stock Exchange

VANCOUVER, April 15.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Mining		
B.C. Silver	..	1.45
Cork Province	..	.02
Howe Sound	..	59.00
Indian Mines	..	.12
International Coal	.10	.14
McGillivray Coal	..	.65
Silver Crest Mines	.15	..
Silversmith	..	.02½
Surf Inlet Gold	.02½	.03⅝
Lucky Jim	.17	.19½
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.00 3-16	.00¼
Sweetgrass	..	.09¼
Trojan Oil	.01⅝	.06
Miscellaneous		
B.C. Perm. Loan	96.00	..
Unlisted Stocks		
Dunwell	4.00	4.50
Glacier	.32	.34
Independence	.10	.18
Premier	2.33	2.30
Selkirk	.06	.06½
Terminus	..	.43
Maple Leaf	..	.22
National Silver	.15	.30
L. & L. Glacier	.21	.22
Daly Alaska	.25	.27
Lakeview	.32	..
Bayview	.17	.12½

Sales

166,000 B.C. Montana, .05 3-16; 40,000 B.C. Montana, .09¼; 10,000 B.C. Montana, .06 3-16; 200 Premier, $2.50; 1,000 Selkirk, .06⅝; 5,000 Indian, .13¼; 1,000 Silver Crest, .18¼. April 15—10,000 B.C. Montana, .09¼; 4,000 Bayview, .12; 2,000 Silver Crest, .13; 2,300 Silver Crest, .12⅝; 1,000 Indian, .13¼; 1,300 Indian, .13; 1,000 Daly Alaska, .27; 1,000 Daly Alaska, .24; 124 Premier, $2.40; 3,000 Surf Inlet, .02¼.

NEW YORK CURB

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2 O'CLOCK LIST

	Bid.	Asked.
Industrials		
Acme Coal	22	23
Centrifugal	17⅛	17⅛
Checker Cab	12	51
Durant Pet.	19	19⅝
Mesabi	2⅝	2¾
Stutz	2⅝	7
Reo	20¼	21
Tob. Prod. Ex.	5½	5⅝
Un. Profit Shar.	7⅛	7⅝
Un. Retail Candy	6⅛	6½
Cities Serv., com.	183⅛	184⅛
Cities Serv., pfd.	81⅝	82⅛
Cities Serv., Bkra.	16⅛	16⅝
Am. Gas El.	73⅛	73
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	106	107
Nat. Pow. Lite	244	246
Oils		
Carib	5¼	5⅛
Federal	12	13
Glenrock	10	26
Intl. Petr.	22⅝	23⅛
Marl Mex	2	2⅛
Mexico Oil	10	17
Cont. Oil	35⅛	32⅝
Noble Oil	11	13
Pennock Oil	21⅝	35⅝
Ryan Cons.	5⅝	6⅝
Sapulpa	1	1⅛
Salt Cr. Prod.	26	26⅛
Salt Cr. Cons.	7⅝	7⅛
Wilcox	6	6⅛
City	13	15⅛
Jib	6	10
Mu	20⅝	51
Kpc.	2⅛	2⅝
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	17	18
Hutte & Hotz	10	13
Cal. Jerome	18	21
Cons. Copper	2⅛	2
Cresson	2⅝	2⅛
Dolores	50	60
Eureka	15	13
Hecla	12⅛	12⅛
Hollinger	13⅝	14
Howe Sound	17⅝	12⅛
Ind. Lead	7	2
Cal. & Hecla	47	48
Mont. Tonopah	1	1⅛
Nev. Hug.	2⅝	2⅝
Pondera	1⅝	1⅝
Ray Hered.	5⅝	5
Tim. Hudson	55	90
Tonopah Ex.	13	32
Teck Hughes	1⅝	1 7-16
Un. Eastern	47	50
Un. Verde Ex.	24	54⅝

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, April 15.—Raw sugar, 4.49; refined, 5.75 to 5.85.

Mining

Silverado Trial Shipment Gives Good Results at Tacoma Smelter

The office of the Silverado Mining Company in this city has received the returns from its trial shipment of ore that was made to the Tacoma smelter a short time ago, and this is of a most gratifying character.

The smelter returns are at the rate of $221.63 a ton, which is rather in excess of what was expected by the company. It is not the intention of the company to continue these shipments for the present, as the installation of aerial facilities will very materially reduce the cost of transportation over that which is now in use.

The work of developing the property will be continued, the ore being stored for the present.

The Silverado is a property that lies very close to Stewart across the Bear River, and at a considerable elevation above the sea level. Not only are the existing ore bodies on the property being developed, but the management has been carrying on with very marked success the development along the line of proving up the other ore showings that intersect the surface of the property.

The shipment that was made to Tacoma was largely for the purpose of checking up against the assays that are constantly made from the ore samples. The smelter returns give an actual value from a commercial body of the ore, and follow very closely, it is announced, the assays that have been made from time to time as the work progressed. The commercial test suffered in no way over those made at the time.

Grain Letters

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, April 15. — Wheat: Heavy pressure on the May, which finally ran into liquidation, caused a heavy and unsettled market, the action being the reverse of the late trade yesterday. Cables were fairly strong, 3¼d to 3⅝d higher, but with little export demand and more Duluth wheat bought to come here, the demand for May was slim, and this month had a big drop in influencing the deferred deliveries. Crop news, both domestic and foreign, was more favorable. However, there is still every prospect for extremely limited supplies before the end of the crop year; world's stocks are 26,000,000 bushels less than a year ago now, with on-passage figures only 71,000,000 bushels according to Russell, with over 7,000,000 bushels of this going to Russia, while Broomhall predicts much smaller clearances from Australia. We are of the opinion that present prices for July and September wheat are on a comparatively cheap basis and advise purchases on the setbacks.

Corn: Prices moved up sharply early but closed at declines; the cash demand was good for the limited offerings here, but contract corn is coming in fair quantities, probably for delivery. This affects the May as in wheat. Industries bought 28,000 bushels out of stores. The corn market is pretty well cleaned up, and we would not care to press selling on the break. Would follow a trading policy for the present.

Oats: Eased with other grains. There was some export business, and the decreases in stocks at Minneapolis of 955,000 for four days is significant. At this level we consider oats on a substantial basis. The shipping demand was good. In spite of big stocks, we believe oats will have support on all setbacks.

Rye: Sold off with other grains, and the market has little to recommend it on the buying side except when it acts in sympathy with wheat. Norway and Germany were fair buyers of rye.—L. & B.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Asked.
Mining		
B.C. Silver	1.30	1.40
Boundary Red Mountain	.10	..
Bowena Copper	..	.10
Cons. M. & S.	..	55.50
Cork Province	.05	..
Douglas Channel	..	.05
Dunwell Mines	4.15	4.40
Eldorado	..	.40
Glacier Creek	.35	.30
Granby	15.00	..
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.02
Hemlock Creek Placer	..	.03
Howe Sound	5.22	2.30
Independence	.13	.21
Indian Mines	.12	.14½
L. & L. Glacier	..	.13
McGillivray Coal	..	.24
Premier Mines	.72	2.30
Rufus	.17	.20
Sheep Creek Consolidated	..	.60½
Silver Crest Mines	.12	.19
Silversmith	..	.30
Standard Silver Lead	..	.50
Sunloch Mines	..	.20
Surf Inlet Gold	.07	..
Terminus	..	.60
Phoenix	.33	..
Selkirks	..	.07
Oils		
British Petroleum	..	.30
Empire Oil	..	.04⅝
Mapleleaf	..	.30
Spartan Oil	..	.05½
Sweetgrass	..	.04⅝
Trojan Oil	.01⅝	.06
B.C. Montana	..	.00⅝
Miscellaneous		
Amal. Appliance	..	.40
B.C. Perm. Loan	99.50	101.00
Canada National Fire	..	40.00
Great West Perm. Loan	..	20.00
Gregory Tire & Rubber	..	2.00

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	102.50	102.30
1933, 1st May and Nov.	106.00	107.00
1937, 1st June and Dec.	102.20	109.30
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1922, 1st June and Dec.	100.12	101.12
1931, 1st April and Oct.	101.20	102.60
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept.	103.30	104.20
(Payable New York.)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927, 1st May and Nov.	101.65	101.65
1933, 1st May and Nov.	102.62	104.02
1934, 1st May and Nov.	103.20	104.50
Dominion Loan		
1923, 15th April and Oct., 2%	100.60	101.40
1942, 15th April and Oct., 3½%	101.70	102.70
1944, 15th April and Oct., 4½%	95.10	97.10
1924, 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.), 2%	..	101.90

Add accrued interest to date:
1927, 1937—136 days, 22.024 per $100
1927, 1933, 1937, 1924—165 days, 32.426 per $100.
1933, 1942—Coupon due.
1944—Coupon due.

FOREIGN BONDS

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	Close
Argentine 5's, 1897 "A"	98¼
Belgian 7½'s, 1942	108⅝
French 7½'s, 1941	68⅝
French 5's, 1949	49
German 7's, 1949 rcts.	84⅝
Norway 6's, 1952	99⅝
Seine 7's, 1942	84
Sweden 6's, 1939	103⅝

Eatons Incorporated

QUEBEC, April 15.—Incorporation is announced of the T. Eaton Company, Limited, of Montreal, with a capital of $10,000,000, and head offices in Montreal.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, April 15.—Wheat: Another erratic, nervous market today, with price fluctuating up and down several times, but there was a distinct absence of real buying, and weakness appearing in the American market was quickly reflected here. After the opening, which was firm, there was an easier tendency in evidence throughout, but the real break did not come until the last fifteen minutes, when there was plenty of wheat for sale after being scarce all day, and the shorts being eliminated yesterday and early this morning, with longs endeavoring to take profits, and poor buying power, prices slumped heavily, closing 7 cents down.

Liverpool cables came from ¾d to 3½d higher, only partly following our advance of yesterday, and were rather disappointing as they did not respond to the extent expected. Seaboard reported that about 250,000 bushels of Manitobas had been worked for export. The buying against these sales was easily satisfied, after which there was little but sentiment to hold the market or withstand pressure. The weather map this morning did not show much change over the Winter wheat belt, and large areas undoubtedly still require moisture, while there were further damage reports from insects. The market is a two-sided affair at these levels but we would not press the short side after today's break, as the situation is too strong and further export buying on a little broader scale could easily force prices upward.

Coarse Grains: There was a good demand for oats today and exporters and shippers were buying. Export sales of Canadian oats were estimated at 500,000 bushels while shippers were buying for the opening of navigation. The barley and rye markets continued dull, displayed early strength, but all market fell away later, due to the weakness in wheat.

Flax: Quiet, steady market, closing figures fractionally higher. There was no pressure in evidence and the light offerings were easily absorbed.

MONEY MARKETS

NEW YORK, April 15.—Call money, steady; high, 3½; low, 3½; closing bid, 3½; offered at 3¾; last loan, 3½; call loans against acceptances, 3 per cent. Time loans, easy; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 3¾ to 4 per cent; 4-6 months, 4 per cent.

At London

LONDON, April 15.—Prime commercial paper, 3¾ to 4 per cent. Money, 4 per cent; discount rates, short bills, 4⅛ to 4¼; three months' bills, 4 5-16 to 4⅜ per cent.

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, April 15.—Copper—Easy; electrolytic and futures, 13⅛c. Tin—Spot and nearby, $50.50; futures, $50.62.

Iron—Irregular; No. 1 northern, $21.50 to $22; No. 2 northern, $20.50 to $21; No. 2 southern, $20.

Lead—Steady; spot, $8 to $8.25.

Zinc—Easy; East St. Louis, spot and Futures, $7 to $7.05.

Antimony—Spot, $12.50 to $13.

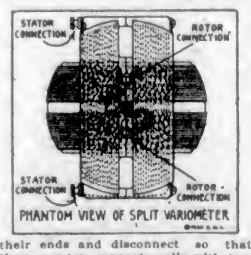
Radio Notes

Timely Tips and Suggestions on the Latest Diagrams and Hook-ups—Simplified.

By F. M. RUSSELL

Splitting a Variometer Explained

Splitting a variometer is a comparatively simple thing to do if the principle involved is clearly understood. The object of this is to obtain a tuning unit with two separate coils that are not connected to each other and are variable in their relationship. To explain this method for all variometers is almost impossible, as there are so many different types. Some of them are connected one way and some another. The best method is to trace the two coils, find



PHANTOM VIEW OF SPLIT VARIOMETER

their ends and disconnect so that there are two separate coils with two connections each. The illustration gives a phantom view of what a split variometer looks like.

Note that the two windings on the rotor and the two windings on the stator are connected, and also note there is no connection between the rotor and stator. Sometimes the rotor winding is inserted between the stator windings in which case the connections are all broken and the two sides of the stator connected together. The terminals are the two flexible leads from the rotor and the two sides of the stator. If you do not clearly understand take this article to your dealer and he will show you how.—Copyright, 1925, by S.N.L. Technical Syndicate.

HAD BAD SPELLS WITH HER HEART

Mrs. C. Martin, R.R. No. 2, Orillia, Ont., writes:—"I have been troubled with my heart for a long time and very often had bad spells with it. I would take fainting spells, and my husband had to have somebody to stay with me all the time. He got me everything he could think of to see if they would do me any good, but nothing seemed to help me. One day a friend was in to see me and advised me to try

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From New York—"One over-the-counter firm announced this morning a bid and ask quotation of 19a-23¼ when released, and it was thought that about 2,000 shares were dealt by them during the morning. . . . Some say that, should earnings continue at first quarter levels—that is, at an annual rate of $6 a share on both classes of common stock, a dividend of half this amount might be considered. . . ."
From Wall Street Journal, April 7, 1925—"Stockholders with sufficient confidence in the Nash Motor Company to retain their original holdings thus have securities worth $3,013 for each share of common stock costing nothing in 1916." (Given as a bonus)
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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Empress of France Will Leave Yokohama Tonight

Will Sail on Last Stage of World Cruise, Coming to Victoria via Honolulu—Due Here May 2—Many Prominent Passengers on Board—Ship's Rotary Club Guests With Sir and Lady Harry Lauder—Society for Propagation of Scandal Formed

At 6 o'clock tonight the palatial Canadian Pacific liner Empress of France, Captain Griffiths commanding, will leave on the last leg of its round-the-world cruise, en route to Victoria, by way of Hilo and Honolulu, it was announced in a special cable received here yesterday.

Reports received by C.P.R. officials from the Orient state that the globe-trotters have had a wonderful holiday in the Far East, and been well entertained, not only ashore, but also on board the ship.

Visits were made to Repulse Bay and to the Peak at Hong Kong, while members of the Empress of France Rotary Club were entertained, with Sir Harry and Lady Lauder, by the Manila Rotary Club. Sir Harry Lauder, according to latest reports, will come to Canada soon on a concert tour.

Ship's Newspaper

The passengers are not without diversion between ports. In addition to deck sports, every day at sea a newspaper is published, called The Em-Press News of the Cruise. Approximately half of its 1,000 words daily are devoted to personal items of the passengers, afloat and ashore, assembled under the caption, "Entre Nous." International news is obtained by Marconi, chiefly from Louisburg, N.S.; Oxford, England; Nauen, Germany; Manila, and, during the transpacific voyage, from the Estevan wireless and San Francisco wireless stations.

Scandal Society Formed

A society for the Propagation of Scandals has been formed by a facetious group, to provide entertainment on the transpacific voyage. For the best scandal, real or fictitious, a volume of "The Memoirs of Ananias," bound in pigskin, has been offered to the winner. The presentation will be made at Victoria. Highly imaginative persons have formed a committee to make arrangements for the competition.

Initiation at Equator

When the Empress of France crossed the Equator, approximately one hundred passengers were initiated into the Order of Neptune. Following the ceremony, all passengers were presented with an engraved degree, signed by Father Neptune and Captain Griffiths, entitling them to a knowledge of the secrets of the deep and to exoneration from future initiations at "the line."

Members of Rotary Club

Eleven members comprise the Empress of France Rotary Club, of which Charles C. De Rouville, Albany, N.Y., is president, and Henry E. Sachs, Denver, Colo., secretary. In Manila the Rotarians and their wives were the guests, with Sir Harry and Lady Lauder, of the Manila Rotary Club.

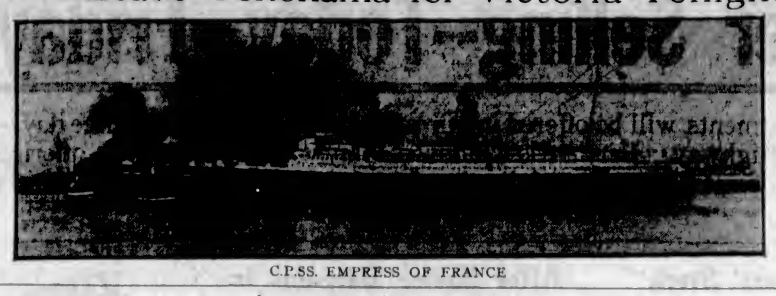
Fourteen Empress of France passengers were granted an audience by the Pope when the optional excursion party from Naples visited the Eternal City. Mrs. Frances Lamm and Miss Mary Bransfield, of Chicago, obtained the audience and were accompanied by others.

Prominent Passengers

There are a number of prominent British passengers making the world tour, among whom are Mr. Thomas A. Dove, of Milngavie; Mr. H. Jager, of Gerards Cross; Mr. E. G. Muers, representing Lloyd's; Captain J. F. Maginnis, of Llangollen; Mr. E. Reeve, of Hastings; Capt. S. Renny, of London; Mr. J. T. Simpson, late Mayor of Halifax; Miss E. M. Wheatland, of the Lancing Board of Guardians; Mr. G. Walker, of Aberdeen, and Mr. F. W. Waite, of Leicester.

The Empress of France, after visiting Honolulu and Hilo, where excursions will be made to the Kilauea volcano, will dock at Victoria on May 2.

Will Leave Yokohama for Victoria Tonight



C.P.SS. EMPRESS OF FRANCE

HIGHLANDER LEAVES U.K. FOR VICTORIA

THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN DAMAGED AT AVONMOUTH

Sailed From Glasgow on April 12 After Layover Since February 2 —Seigneur to Load Lumber

After a long lay-over in the Old Country the C.G.M.M. freighter Canadian Highlander is reported to have left Glasgow for Victoria and way ports en route on April 12.

The Canadian Highlander arrived at Avonmouth last February 2 and although no definite advice has been received it is thought that she either scraped the bottom of the harbor or rammed the wharf, thus causing considerable damage to her plating, as she has been at Birkenhead, where the repair yards are, for a long time.

She was delayed to such an extent that the Canadian Scottish was placed on the run in her stead. The Highlander is due here about the first week in May.

The Canadian Seigneur, which is en route here from Antwerp, is expected about April 20. She is at present at San Pedro discharging cargo, and has a light consignment for Victoria and a cargo of 2,000 tons for Vancouver. She will come to Victoria again at the end of the month to load a large lumber cargo, it was announced here yesterday.

Extinguish Fire on Montlaurier After Eight Hours' Fight

LIVERPOOL, April 15.—After eight hours of hard work, the firemen this afternoon were able to subdue the fire on the Canadian Pacific transatlantic liner Montlaurier in the Birkenhead dock, across from Liverpool. The damage done to the vessel is estimated at 80,000 pounds sterling.

The steamer Marloch will replace the Montlaurier in the company's itinerary, sailing April 24 from Glasgow for Quebec.

It is reported that the fire started in the paint shop adjacent to the between decks passenger cabins in the forepart of the ship. The Montlaurier was about to leave the drydock and sail from Glasgow, April 24.

The fire broke out early yesterday morning and wiped out the entire third class accommodation. The liner had just completed repairs at Birkenhead when the fire started. By noon yesterday the whole forepart of the ship had been destroyed.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

SUNRISE AND SUNSET APRIL

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria for the month of April, 1924.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	5:54	6:40	16	5:40	7:07
2	5:52	6:42	17	5:18	7:08
3	5:49	6:44	18	5:16	7:09
4	5:47	6:46	19	5:14	7:09
5	5:44	6:48	20	5:12	7:10
6	5:42	6:50	21	5:11	7:12
7	5:40	6:51	22	5:09	7:13
8	5:37	6:53	23	5:08	7:14
9	5:35	6:54	24	5:06	7:15
10	5:33	6:55	25	5:04	7:17
11	5:31	6:57	26	5:03	7:18
12	5:29	6:58	27	5:01	7:20
13	5:27	7:00	28	5:00	7:21
14	5:24	7:02	29	4:58	7:22
15	5:22	7:03	30	4:57	7:24

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA APRIL

Date	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.	Time. H.M.	H't Ft.
1	1:57	7.6	5:00	7.8	.....	.....	16:46	5.2
2	2:53	7.8	.....	.....	.....	.....	16:40	5.3
3	3:41	8.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	17:31	5.3
4	4:04	7.9	9:58	6.3	10:56	6.9	18:13	5.4
5	4:01	7.8	3:54	5.5	11:37	6.9	18:55	5.5
6	5:05	7.6	3:14	5.3	15:57	7.0	19:42	5.6
7	5:51	7.7	3:24	5.5	12:56	7.3	20:55	5.9
8	6:33	7.9	0:00	4.4	14:32	7.5	21:50	4.5
9	0:53	7.8	0:42	5.7	13:49	7.2	21:37	4.6
10	2:38	8.0	10:56	5.0	15:47	7.3	22:13	5.1
11	3:45	8.1	11:11	5.4	17:04	7.2	23:40	5.2
12	4:04	8.2	11:50	1.6	00:16	7.2	23:56	5.5
13	4:35	8.3	12:50	1.7	11:57	7.2	.....	.....
14	5:16	7.9	4:44	5.5	15:44	1.6	23:51	7.5
15	1:30	7.8	5:09	5.2	14:41	1.8	.....	.....
16	2:36	7.8	5:06	7.6	0:44	5.0	15:40	5.1
17	1:04	7.8	4:46	7.4	0:48	7.5	16:40	5.5
18	1:11	7.8	6:17	6.6	10:18	7.0	17:35	5.9
19	1:13	7.5	7:14	6.8	11:46	6.3	18:21	5.5
20	1:53	7.6	7:53	6.1	12:06	5.8	19:15	4.5
21	1:43	8.0	8:53	4.1	14:17	6.0	20:01	4.3
22	2:06	8.2	0:03	5.4	13:35	6.0	20:42	5.4
23	2:57	8.5	0:40	5.7	16:32	7.0	21:55	5.0
24	2:51	8.4	10:50	6.1	18:05	7.0	22:02	5.3
25	3:13	8.4	11:03	3.1	20:55	7.1	22:44	5.5
26	3:50	8.2	11:46	5.0	21:37	7.4	23:55	7.5
27	3:13	8.1	12:21	5.1	15:53	7.1	.....	.....
28	0:54	7.6	2:51	5.0	12:17	3.3	15:56	7.5
29	3:03	7.7	3:19	7.5	14:03	3.8	.....	.....
30	3:15	8.0	.....	.....	14:50	2.8	.....	.....

The time used is Pacific standard for the 150th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blocks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, April 15. — Arrived: Claremont, Phyllis, San Francisco; Griffdu, San Pedro; Achilles, Kobe; Yukon, Castletown, Tacoma. Sailed: Melville Dollar, Vancouver, B.C.; Tyndareus, Kobe; Viking, San Pedro; Queen, Southeastern Alaska; Caddopeak, Tacoma.

JUNEAU, April 15.—Sailed: Alameda, Alaska, southbound.

SEWARD, April 15. — Sailed: Northwestern, southbound.

EVERETT, April 15. — Sailed: Henry S. Grove, Portland.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 15.—Arrived: Edna, San Pedro via San Francisco; Captain A. F. Lucas, San Pedro; Poljana, Antofogasta. Sailed: Admiral Schley, San Diego; Felix Taus, Seattle; Washkena, San Francisco; West Nomentum, Dairen.

TACOMA, April 15.—Arrived: Anyox, British Columbia; Griffoo, British Columbia ports. Sailed: Yukon, southward; Ceililo, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—Arrived: Point Lobos, Anacortes; Wallingford, Astoria; Col. E. L. Drake, Astoria; Andrea F. Luckenbach, Newport; Brooklyn, San Pedro; Boodyalla, Port Angeles; Wapama, Everett. Sailed: Elsegundo, Port Wells.

Arrived

NEW YORK, April 15.—Grinoco, Tacoma.

SHANGHAI, April 14.—President McKinley, Seattle.

KOBE, April 14.—President Monroe, San Francisco.

TIENTSIN, April 10.—West Jester, San Francisco.

AUCKLAND, April 10.—Hauraki, San Francisco.

SYDNEY, April 14.—Sierra, San Francisco.

Sailed

HONG KONG, April 14—President Lincoln, West Faralon, San Francisco.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Empress of Russia, Orient, April 20.
President Madison, Orient, April 22.
Toyama Maru, Orient, April 22.
Paris Maru, Orient, April 23.
Iyo Maru, Orient, April 23.
Niagara, Australia, May 1.
President Jackson, Orient, May 4.
Africa Maru, Orient, May 5.
Empress of Australia, Orient, May 6.
Atago Maru, Orient, May 13.
President McKinley, Orient, May 16.
Empress of Asia, Orient, May 18.
London Maru, Orient, May 19.

To Sail

Empress of Canada, Orient, April 17.
President Grant, Orient, April 21.
Alabama Maru, Orient, April 22.
Kaga Maru, Orient, April 28.
Empress of Russia, Orient, May 1.
President Madison, Orient, May 2.
Niagara, Australia, May 6.
Paris Maru, Orient, May 11.
Iyo Maru, Orient, May 12.
Empress of Australia, Orient, May 14.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, April 6, left Panama Canal for United Kingdom.

Canadian Highlander, February 8, arrived Birkenhead.

Canadian Importer, April 7, left Vancouver for Quebec.

Canadian Inventor, April 5, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Planter, April 12, left Victoria for Halifax.

Canadian Prospector, March 17, left Alberni for Yokohama.

Canadian Transporter, April 4, arrived Newport.

Canadian Winner, March 28, left Halifax for Victoria.

Canadian Coaster, April 6, left Ocean Falls for Astoria.

Canadian Farmer, April 7, arrived Ocean Falls.

Canadian Observer, April 7, left San Pedro for San Francisco.

Canadian Rover, April 4, left San Francisco for Victoria.

Canadian Trooper, March 31, Rabaul en route.

Canadian Volunteer, March 21, left Trinidad for Halifax.

Canadian Ranger, March 28, arrived London.

Canadian Pioneer, March 30, left Panama Canal for London and Antwerp.

Canadian Miller, March 27, arrived New York.

Canadian Voyageur, March 22, left for Australia.

Canadian Seigneur, March 27, left Panama Canal for Vancouver.

Canadian Scottish, April 3, arrived Vancouver.

RECENT FIXTURES

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—The steamer Australia has been chartered, lumber, British Columbia to north of Hatteras, $14.50, by the Southern Alberta Lumber Company, late April. The steamship Montreal Maru has been chartered, lumber, Pacific Coast to Australia, $15.50, May, by J. J. Moore & Company. The steamer Hambleton Range has been fixed, time charter, Pacific to Australia, lumber and general merchandise, by J. J. Moore & Company, private terms. The steamship Luise Nielsen has been fixed, time charter, in the Pacific trade, one year at $33. The steamship M. J. Scanlon has been taken, time charter delivery on the Pacific Coast, private terms. May loading, by the General Steamship Corporation.

COASTWISE SAILINGS

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C.P.R. Vessels—2:15 p.m. and 11:45 p.m., daily.

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TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

APRIL

China and Japan

Empress of Asia—Mails close April 3, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama, April 14; Shanghai, April 19; Hong Kong, April 21.

President Jefferson—Mails close April 9, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama April 21; Shanghai, April 26; Hong Kong, April 30.

Yokohama Maru—Mails close April 10, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama, April 24.

Empress of Canada—Mails close April 17, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama, May 28; Shanghai, May 2; Hong Kong, May 5.

President Grant—Mails close April 21, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama, May 3; Shanghai, May 8; Hong Kong, May 12.

Tyndareus—Mails close April 23, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama, May 7; Hong Kong, May 18.

Empress of Russia—Mails close May 1, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama, May 12; Shanghai, May 16; Hong Kong, May 19.

Australia and New Zealand

Aorangi—Mails close April 8, 4 p.m. Due Auckland, April 27; Sydney, May 2.

Sonoma—Mails close April 11, 4 p.m. Due Sydney, May 5.

Tahiti—Mails close April 19, 4 p.m. Due Wellington, May 11; Sydney, May 14.

Ventura—Mails close May 2, 4 p.m. Due Sydney, May 26.

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Crepe Step-Ins, in neat check design; all sizes. Special at, a pair ..... **79¢**

Step-Ins of Pongee Silk, with hemstitch finish. Special, a pair **$1.75**

Princess Slips of white cotton, with strap shoulders, top and flounce trimmed with lace. Special, each..... **$1.00** and **$1.25**

Princess Slips of fine dimity, hemstitched top, skirt finished with plain hem; shown in white or pink. Special at, each ..... **95¢**

Princess Slips of white nainsook, shadowproof garments, with deep 20-inch hem and embroidered tops. Special, each **$1.79**

Underskirts of Fine Cotton, hemstitched or embroidery flounce. Each ..... **98¢**

Underskirts of fine longcloth, in extra large sizes, trimmed with fine embroidered flounce. Special, each **$1.75**

Gowns in slip-on styles of fine white cotton, trimmed with lace or colored pipings on neck and sleeves. Special at, each **$1.00**

Gowns of Colored Dimity, trimmed with fancy stitching. Special, each **$1.25**

Crepe Gowns in a variety of styles, plain colors or all-over bird and butterfly designs. Each, **$1.25, $1.75, $1.95** and **$2.25**

Gowns in open front styles, with long sleeves and V neck, trimmed with embroidery. Special, each **$1.69**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

A Special Purchase in Our Staple and Linen Sections

Goods Bought to Great Advantage—All Sound Merchandise—No Seconds or Rejects—Every Item a Substantial Bargain

Unbleached Cotton, fine even weave and 36 inches wide. A remarkable value. Regular price 20c a yard, for..... **15¢**

English Wincey, in plain colors of pink, sky, mauve, orange, flesh, blue. Ideal for women's and children's wear; 36-inch. Regular price, a yard 55c, for..... **39¢**

Fine White Longcloth, in soft finish; 36 inches wide, and a real bargain. Regular price 35c. On sale for..... **25¢**

Finest Grade Extra Soft Pure Wool Flannel, white and natural shades (the famous "Hygeine" brand). Regular price, a yard $1.50. On sale for..... **98¢**

Sheetings and Pillow Slips--Great Values

Bleached Sheetings of excellent weight. Large and small users should see these special values. Two widths only—60 and 70-inch—for single and double beds. Sheets made-up and hemmed free of charge. Regular 65c and 70c a yard, for..... **49¢**

Pillow Slips, hemmed. Two special purchases at a substantial saving:—
No. 1—A useful grade, with plain hem. Regular 35c each. On sale for..... **25¢**
No. 2—A superior quality, close weave; hemmed. Regular, each 50c, for..... **40¢**

Irish Damask Pure Linen Cloths

These Pure Linen Damask Cloths, with Napkins to match, are all perfect goods in close weave; suitable for daily use. Guaranteed pure linen; three excellent designs.

70 x 70 Inches. Regular price, each $4.75. On sale for **$3.95**
70 x 90 Inches. Regular price, each $5.95. On sale for **$4.95**
Napkins to match, 22 x 22-inch. On sale, half dozen for **$2.50**

The Famous "Colleen" Brand Irish Damask Napkins, in close weave and a quality that will give great wear. We cleared the makers of this one design (the Ivy Pattern) at a big discount. All are perfect goods. Size 22 x 22 inches. Regular, a dozen $5.50. On sale for..... **$3.95**

—Linens, Main Floor

Boys' Blue Serge Suits

With Two Pairs of Bloomers **$12.95**

Boys' Suits, made from Fox's Wool Serge. They are neat in appearance, well tailored and trimmed; smart models. The pants are fully lined and have governor fasteners; sizes 26 to 36. Each **$12.95**

—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor

Boys' Wool Tweed and Homespun SUITS

Regular Prices to $14.50, for **$10.95**

Boys' Wool Tweed and Homespun Suits in a wide range of patterns and shades. Coats are plain Norfolk models, with wool linings and all suits have two pairs of full lined bloomers. The quality of the materials assures long wear. Regular to $14.50 for **$10.95**

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Boys' All-Wool Jerseys

Regular $2.50 to $3.75 Values for **$1.50**

Boys' English Cashmere Jerseys, all-wool quality, in shades of blue and brown, buttoned on shoulder. A well knit jersey that will give great satisfaction to the purchaser. Sizes 22 to 32. A real bargain at, each..... **$1.50**

—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor